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# WEEKLY RETURN

OF

# Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

*By Authority of the Registrar-General*

**No. 1. Week ending SATURDAY, JANUARY 7, 1928. Price 2d. net.**

During the week ending 7th January 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 976 living children, the deaths of 1030 persons, and 1339 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 976. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 21·1 per thousand, the marriage-rate 29·0, and the death-rate (corrected) 21·1.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·2 less than in the previous week, and 4·8 below the average. The marriage-rate is 10·1 more than in the previous week, and 7·4 above the average. The death-rate is 0·6 more than in the previous week, and 3·6 above the average.

The weekly death-rate in the individual towns averaged 18·0, and varied from 25·4 in Greenock and 23·9 in Glasgow, to 11·5 in Hamilton and 14·0 in Clydebank. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Edinburgh (21·1), in Dunfermline (20·5), in Dundee (20·3) and in Falkirk (20·3). In Aberdeen the rate was 16·2.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 85, and are 10 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·8 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, 43 from measles (of which 40 occurred in Glasgow), 2 from scarlet fever, 16 from whooping-cough, 13 from diphtheria, and 11 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 5 more, and from scarlet fever 1 more, but those from diphtheria are 4 fewer, from the diarrhœas of childhood 4 fewer, and from measles 8 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 16, and are 1 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 253, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 5·5 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·6 more than in the previous week, and is 1·7 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 159, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 326. The former are 9 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 8 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 33, and are 6 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 39°·0, being 6°·3 above that for the previous week, but 1°·0 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1·40 inch.

*NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the three preceding years.*

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING JANUARY 7, 1928.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (See Note.) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Temperature. Minimum. | Temperature. Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, | 1,060,500 | 450 | 685 | 514 | 41 | 11 | 484 | 23·9 | 3·1 | 90 | 130 | 0 | 40 | 1 | 10 | 4 | 7 | *1 | 5 | 133 | 17 | 50·1 | 24·0 | 40·1 | 1·62 | 8·1 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, | 426,300 | 145 | 194 | 186 | 24 | 10 | 172 | 21·1 | 0·7 | 9 | 77 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 0 | *1 | 4 | 37 | 5 | 50·0 | 22·0 | 39·1 | 0·70 | 13·6 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, | 174,800 | 58 | 119 | 70 | 3 | 1 | 68 | 20·3 | 0·6 | 16 | 29 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 17 | 2 | 47·3 | 21·5 | 36·6 | 0·53 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, | 158,500 | 77 | 54 | 53 | 7 | 3 | 49 | 16·2 | 0·7 | 9 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 4 | 46·0 | 30·0 | 38·3 | 0·86 | 9·7 | ABERDEEN. |
| PAISLEY, | 87,900 | 31 | 32 | 33 | 1 | 0 | 32 | 19·0 | 1·2 | 5 | 9 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | *1 | 1 | 13 | 0 | 50·0 | 21·1 | 39·8 | 1·93 | 10·6 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, | 80,200 | 47 | 32 | 40 | 1 | 0 | 39 | 25·4 | 0·7 | 9 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 18 | 2 | 54·4 | 26·8 | 41·3 | 3·24 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 70,100 | 27 | 32 | 17 | 0 | 4 | 21 | 15·7 | 0·7 | 5 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, | 48,600 | 16 | 22 | 8 | 1 | 6 | 13 | 14·0 | 5·4 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, | 44,300 | 17 | 28 | 12 | 0 | 3 | 15 | 17·7 | 2·4 | 3 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, | 38,200 | 16 | 14 | 18 | 6 | 3 | 15 | 20·5 | 1·4 | 2 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, | 41,100 | 7 | 26 | 13 | 1 | 1 | 13 | 16·5 | 0·0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, | 41,100 | 13 | 19 | 10 | 1 | 0 | 9 | 11·5 | 0 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, | 37,400 | 16 | 12 | 15 | 4 | 0 | 11 | 15·4 | 0·0 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, | 37,500 | 18 | 16 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 15·3 | 0·0 | 3 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, | 36,000 | 20 | 38 | 13 | 0 | 1 | 14 | 20·3 | 1·5 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | .. | FALKIRK. |
| PERTH, | 33,700 | 18 | 16 | 17 | 7 | 0 | 10 | 15·5 | 0·0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 50·0 | 18·0 | 37·6 | 0·91 | 13·1 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** Jan. 7, 1928, | **2,416,200** | **976** | **1339** | **1030** | **97** | **43** | **976** | **21·1** | **1·8** | **159** | **326** | **0** | **43** | **2** | **16** | **13** | **11** | ***3** | **16** | **253** | **33** | **54·4** | **18·0** | **39·0** | **1·40** | ... | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| Dec. 31, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 978 | 867 | 989 | 93 | 45 | 941 | 20·5 | 2·1 | 150 | 318 | 0 | 51 | 1 | 11 | 17 | 15 | *3 | 15 | 224 | 39 | 43·0 | 28·0 | 32·7 | 0·09 | ... | |
| Jan. 8, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 1119 | 1099 | 820 | 80 | 31 | 771 | 16·8 | 0·8 | 127 | 276 | 0 | 5 | 4 | 8 | 5 | 13 | *1 | 13 | 192 | 32 | 53·0 | 21·0 | 40·0 | 1·05 | ... | |

*Note*:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

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# WEEKLY RETURN

OF

# Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

*By Authority of the Registrar-General*

**No. 2. Week ending SATURDAY, JANUARY 14, 1928. Price 2d. net.**

During the week ending 14th January 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 1011 living children, the deaths of 992 persons, and 248 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 950. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 21·9 per thousand, the marriage-rate 5·4, and the death-rate (corrected) 20·6.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·8 more than in the previous week, and 0·1 above the average. The marriage-rate is 23·6 less than in the previous week, but 0·5 above the average. The death-rate is 0·5 less than in the previous week, but 4·8 above the average.

The weekly death-rate in the individual towns averaged 17·6, and varied from 25·9 in Coatbridge and 24·2 in Dundee, to 10·2 in Hamilton and 11·2 in Ayr. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Greenock (23·5), in Glasgow (22·5) and in Kilmarnock (21·0). In Edinburgh the death-rate was 19·9 and in Aberdeen 19·1

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 91, and are 6 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·0 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, 55 from measles (of which 46 occurred in Glasgow), 3 from scarlet fever, 14 from whooping-cough, 13 from diphtheria, and 6 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from measles are 12 more, and from scarlet fever 1 more, but those from diphtheria number the same, while from whooping-cough they are 2 fewer, and from the diarrhœas of childhood 5 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 16, and are the same as in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 247, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 5·3 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·2 less than in the previous week, but is 2·1 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 143, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 336. The former are 16 fewer than in the previous week, but the latter are 10 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 25, and are 8 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 41°·3, being 2°·3 above that for the previous week, but 2°·0 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 2·13 inch.

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING JANUARY 14, 1928.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (See Note.) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Temperature. Minimum. | Temperature. Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, | 1,060,500 | 477 | 127 | 483 | 39 | 12 | 456 | 22·5 | 3·1 | 77 | 133 | 0 | 46 | 2 | 5 | 6 | 3 | *1 | 6 | 122 | 9 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, | 426,300 | 152 | 54 | 180 | 22 | 4 | 162 | 19·9 | 0·7 | 13 | 75 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 6 | 36 | 5 | 50·0 | 34·0 | 41·5 | 1·30 | 11·5 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, | 174,800 | 70 | 15 | 87 | 6 | 0 | 81 | 24·2 | 0·9 | 16 | 33 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 30 | 2 | 46·5 | 33·0 | 39·6 | 0·95 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, | 158,500 | 57 | 23 | 55 | 3 | 6 | 58 | 19·1 | 0·7 | 4 | 30 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 3 | 48·0 | 34·0 | 40·6 | 0·38 | 20·1 | ABERDEEN. |
| PAISLEY, | 87,900 | 21 | 3 | 30 | 0 | 0 | 30 | 17·8 | 4·2 | 3 | 10 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 49·0 | 35·0 | 42·1 | 3·39 | 8·4 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, | 80,200 | 43 | 4 | 38 | 2 | 0 | 36 | 23·5 | 2·0 | 5 | 12 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 10 | 1 | 49·7 | 36·1 | 42·4 | 4·79 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 70,100 | 34 | 3 | 15 | 0 | 3 | 18 | 13·4 | 0·0 | 7 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, | 48,600 | 23 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 9 | 17 | 18·3 | 4·3 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, | 44,300 | 24 | 8 | 20 | 0 | 2 | 22 | 25·9 | 0·0 | 3 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, | 38,200 | 11 | 0 | 13 | 3 | 0 | 10 | 13·7 | 0·0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, | 41,100 | 18 | 1 | 13 | 2 | 0 | 11 | 14·0 | 0·0 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, | 41,100 | 19 | 2 | 7 | 2 | 3 | 8 | 10·2 | 0·0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, | 37,400 | 10 | 1 | 11 | 1 | 5 | 15 | 21·0 | 0·0 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, | 37,500 | 22 | 3 | 9 | 1 | 0 | 8 | 11·2 | 0·0 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, | 36,000 | 17 | 1 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 13·1 | 4·4 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | FALKIRK. |
| PERTH, | 33,700 | 13 | 3 | 14 | 5 | 0 | 9 | 14·0 | 1·6 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 49·0 | 34·0 | 41·4 | 1·98 | 12·9 | PERTH. |
| Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Jan. 14, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 1011 | 248 | 992 | 86 | 44 | 950 | 20·6 | 2·0 | 143 | 336 | 0 | 55 | 3 | 14 | 13 | 6 | *1 | 16 | 247 | 25 | 50·0 | 33·0 | 41·3 | 2·13 | ... | Total, 16 Towns. |
| Jan. 7, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 976 | 1339 | 1030 | 97 | 43 | 976 | 21·1 | 1·8 | 159 | 326 | 0 | 43 | 2 | 16 | 13 | 11 | *3 | 16 | 253 | 33 | 54·4 | 18·0 | 39·0 | 1·40 | ... | |
| Jan. 15, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 923 | 235 | 775 | 71 | 34 | 738 | 16·0 | 0·5 | 123 | 252 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 8 | 8 | *1 | 13 | 153 | 27 | 57·0 | 30·0 | 43·3 | 0·90 | ... | |

*Note*:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

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IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

*By Authority of the Registrar-General*

No. 3. Week ending SATURDAY, JANUARY 21, 1928. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 21st January 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 1011 living children, the deaths of 861 persons, and 188 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 825. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 21·9 per thousand, the marriage-rate 4·1, and the death-rate (corrected) 17·9.

The birth-rate of the week is the same as that in the previous week, but 0·1 above the average. The marriage-rate is 1·3 less than in the previous week, and 0·6 below the average. The death-rate is 2·7 less than in the previous week, but 1·9 above the average.

The weekly death-rate in the individual towns averaged 17·0, and varied from 27·6 in Falkirk and 22·8 in Greenock, to 11·0 in Dunfermline and 11·8 in Clydebank. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Coatbridge (22·4), in Perth (20·2), in Ayr (19·5), in Edinburgh (19·3), in Glasgow (18·5), and in Aberdeen (18·1).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 71, and are 20 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·5 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, 36 from measles (of which 35 occurred in Glasgow), 3 from scarlet fever, 10 from whooping-cough, 12 from diphtheria, and 10 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from the diarrhœas of childhood are 4 more, but those from scarlet fever number the same, while from diphtheria they are 1 fewer, from whooping-cough 4 fewer, and from measles 19 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 12, and are 4 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 199, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 4·3 per thousand. This death-rate is 1·0 less than in the previous week, but is 1·3 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 127, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 306. The former are 16 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 30 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 26, and are 1 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 41°·7, being 0°·3 above that for the previous week, and 8°·8 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1·95 inch.

*NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the three preceding years.*

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING JANUARY 21, 1928.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (*See Note.*) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Minimum. | Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, | 1,060,500 | 477 | 91 | 401 | 39 | 13 | 375 | 18·5 | 2·8 | 66 | 110 | 0 | 35 | 2 | 6 | 7 | 6 | 0 | 7 | 97 | 10 | 52·3 | 36·0 | 42·5 | 2·58 | 9·7 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, | 426,300 | 157 | 38 | 172 | 19 | 4 | 157 | 19·3 | 0·9 | 19 | 74 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 36 | 5 | 53·0 | 35·0 | 41·4 | 0·85 | 10·2 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, | 174,800 | 71 | 10 | 49 | 2 | 3 | 50 | 15·0 | 0·6 | 8 | 23 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 1 | 51·5 | 34·9 | 40·2 | 1·17 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, | 158,500 | 70 | 18 | 54 | 5 | 6 | 55 | 18·1 | 0·3 | 3 | 31 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 10 | 0 | 50·0 | 37·0 | 41·3 | 1·59 | 5·0 | ABERDEEN. |
| PAISLEY, | 87,900 | 38 | 8 | 23 | 1 | 0 | 22 | 13·1 | 0·0 | 3 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 2 | 52·0 | 36·0 | 42·5 | 2·91 | 10·5 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, | 80,200 | 32 | 4 | 38 | 4 | 1 | 35 | 22·8 | 0·0 | 6 | 13 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 2 | 52·0 | 33·9 | 42·4 | 3·23 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 70,100 | 24 | 5 | 10 | 0 | 5 | 15 | 11·2 | 0·0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, | 48,600 | 22 | 3 | 7 | 0 | 4 | 11 | 11·8 | 0·0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, | 44,300 | 20 | 2 | 18 | 1 | 2 | 19 | 22·4 | 2·4 | 6 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, | 38,200 | 13 | 1 | 6 | 1 | 3 | 8 | 11·0 | 0·0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, | 41,100 | 13 | 1 | 13 | 1 | 0 | 12 | 15·2 | 0·0 | 1 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, | 41,100 | 19 | 0 | 12 | 3 | 2 | 11 | 14·0 | 0·0 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, | 37,400 | 20 | 3 | 11 | 3 | 1 | 9 | 12·6 | 0·0 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, | 37,500 | 13 | 2 | 13 | 0 | 1 | 14 | 19·5 | 0·0 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, | 36,000 | 13 | 1 | 19 | 1 | 1 | 19 | 27·6 | 2·9 | 5 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | FALKIRK |
| PERTH, | 33,700 | 9 | 1 | 15 | 2 | 0 | 13 | 20·2 | 1·6 | 2 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 52·0 | 34·0 | 41·6 | 1·32 | 12·5 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** Jan. 21, 1928, | **2,416,200** | **1011** | **188** | **861** | **82** | **46** | **825** | **17·9** | **1·5** | **127** | **306** | **0** | **36** | **3** | **10** | **12** | **10** | **0** | **12** | **199** | **26** | **53·0** | **33·9** | **41·7** | **1·95** | ... | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| Jan. 14, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 1011 | 248 | 992 | 86 | 44 | 950 | 20·6 | 2·0 | 143 | 336 | 0 | 55 | 3 | 14 | 13 | 6 | *1 | 16 | 247 | 25 | 50·0 | 33·0 | 41·4 | 2·14 | ... | |
| Jan. 22, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 974 | 227 | 771 | 82 | 35 | 724 | 15·7 | 0·5 | 101 | 250 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 10 | 5 | 0 | 18 | 145 | 28 | 43·0 | 16·0 | 32·9 | 0·33 | ... | |

*Note*:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

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# WEEKLY RETURN

OF

# Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

*By Authority of the Registrar-General*

**No. 4. Week ending SATURDAY, JANUARY 28, 1928. Price 2d. net.**

During the week ending 28th January 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 965 living children, the deaths of 851 persons, and 227 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 798. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·9 per thousand, the marriage-rate 4·9, and the death-rate (corrected) 17·3.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·0 less than in the previous week, and is the same as the average. The marriage-rate is 0·8 more than in the previous week, but 0·4 below the average. The death-rate is 0·6 less than in the previous week, but 1·5 above the average.

The weekly death-rate in the individual towns averaged 15·3, and varied from 22·2 in Greenock and 20·8 in Aberdeen, to 8·6 in Clydebank and 9·6 in Dunfermline. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Kirkcaldy (20·3), in Glasgow (19·0), in Falkirk (18·9) and in Perth (18·6). In Edinburgh the rate was 15·9 and in Dundee 16·1.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 82, and are 11 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·8 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, 44 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 12 from whooping-cough, 14 from diphtheria, and 11 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from measles are 8 more, from whooping-cough 2 more, from diphtheria 2 more, and from the diarrhœas of childhood 1 more, but those from scarlet fever are 2 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 7, and are 5 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 154, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 3·3 per thousand. This death-rate is 1·0 less than in the previous week, but is 0·4 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 126, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 263. The former are 1 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 43 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 32, and are 6 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 39°·9, being 1°·8 below that for the previous week, and 0°·9 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1·59 inch.

*NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the three preceding years.*

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING JANUARY 28, 1928.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (*See Note.*) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Minimum. | Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, . . . . | 1,060,500 | 467 | 104 | 413 | 33 | 5 | 385 | 19·0 | 2·8 | 68 | 97 | 0 | 33 | 0 | 6 | 11 | 7 | *4 | 3 | 75 | 20 | 52·3 | 31·8 | 40·5 | 1·30 | 10·0 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, . . . | 426,300 | 130 | 46 | 146 | 16 | 0 | 130 | 15·9 | 0·6 | 12 | 54 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 35 | 5 | 53·0 | 31·0 | 39·9 | 1·54 | 15·2 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, . . . . . | 174,800 | 56 | 16 | 56 | 3 | 1 | 54 | 16·1 | 0·9 | 8 | 23 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 1 | 48·6 | 29·5 | 37·8 | 1·31 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, . . . . | 158,500 | 73 | 24 | 66 | 12 | 9 | 63 | 20·8 | 0·3 | 10 | 30 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 3 | 45·0 | 30·0 | 38·8 | 0·45 | 11·6 | ABERDEEN. |
| PAISLEY, . . . . . | 87,900 | 31 | 6 | 27 | 4 | 0 | 23 | 13·7 | 2·4 | 3 | 5 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 52·3 | 31·5 | 41·4 | 1·89 | 10·7 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, . . . . | 80,200 | 40 | 9 | 34 | 2 | 2 | 34 | 22·2 | 3·3 | 9 | 12 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 52·1 | 31·9 | 40·5 | 3·27 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, . . . . | 70,100 | 31 | 1 | 9 | 0 | 4 | 13 | 9·7 | 0·0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, . . . | 48,600 | 28 | 3 | 5 | 0 | 3 | 8 | 8·6 | 1·1 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, . . . | 44,300 | 16 | 4 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 13·0 | 2·4 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, . . | 38,200 | 15 | 1 | 8 | 2 | 1 | 7 | 9·6 | 0·0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, . . . . | 41,100 | 9 | 1 | 18 | 2 | 0 | 16 | 20·3 | 2·5 | 2 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, . . . . | 41,100 | 18 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 7 | 11 | 14·0 | 0·0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, . . . | 37,400 | 20 | 6 | 8 | 2 | 1 | 7 | 9·8 | 1·4 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, . . . . . | 37,500 | 15 | 1 | 16 | 7 | 2 | 11 | 15·3 | 0·0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, . . . . . | 36,000 | 8 | 0 | 14 | 1 | 0 | 13 | 18·9 | 0·0 | 5 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | | FALKIRK |
| PERTH, . . . . . | 33,700 | 8 | 3 | 16 | 5 | 1 | 12 | 18·6 | 1·6 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 54·0 | 29·0 | 40·1 | 1·35 | 13·5 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** Jan. 28, 1928, | **2,416,200** | **965** | **227** | **851** | **89** | **36** | **798** | **17·3** | **1·8** | **126** | **263** | **0** | **44** | **1** | **12** | **14** | **11** | ***4** | **7** | **154** | **32** | **54·0** | **29·0** | **39·9** | **1·59** | | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| Jan. 21, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 1011 | 188 | 861 | 82 | 46 | 825 | 17·9 | 1·5 | 127 | 306 | 0 | 36 | 3 | 10 | 12 | 10 | 0 | 12 | 199 | 26 | 53·0 | 33·9 | 41·7 | 1·95 | | |
| Jan. 29, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 907 | 272 | 789 | 79 | 41 | 751 | 16·3 | 0·5 | 137 | 260 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 9 | 6 | 6 | *1 | 19 | 152 | 45 | 49·3 | 29·0 | 40·8 | 1·73 | | |

*Note*:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

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# WEEKLY RETURN

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# Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

*By Authority of the Registrar-General*

**No. 5. Week ending SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1928. Price 2d. net.**

During the week ending 4th February 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 940 living children, the deaths of 806 persons, and 333 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 752. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·3 per thousand, the marriage-rate 7·2, and the death-rate (corrected) 16·3.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·6 less than in the previous week, and 2·4 below the average. The marriage-rate is 2·3 more than in the previous week, and 0·7 above the average. The death-rate is 1·0 less than in the previous week, but 0·7 above the average.

The weekly death-rate in the individual towns averaged 15·2, and varied from 21·8 in Falkirk and 19·2 in Dunfermline, to 8·4 in Ayr and 10·4 in Motherwell and Wishaw. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Perth (18·6), in Aberdeen (18·5), in Glasgow (17·5), in Dundee (17·3), and in Kilmarnock (16·8). In Edinburgh this rate was 15·2.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 65, and are 17 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·4 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, 32 from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 15 from whooping-cough, 12 from diphtheria, and 4 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 3 more, and from scarlet fever 1 more, but those from diphtheria are 2 fewer, from the diarrhœas of childhood 7 fewer and from measles 12 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 13, and are 6 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 154, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 3·3 per thousand. This death-rate is the same as in the previous week, but is 0·4 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 119, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 265. The former are 7 fewer than in the previous week, but the latter are 2 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 21, and are 11 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 37°·8, being 2°·1 below that for the previous week, and 1°·3 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1·57 inch.

*NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the three preceding years.*

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 4, 1928.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (See Note.) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Temperature. Minimum. | Temperature. Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, | 1,060,500 | 429 | 140 | 383 | 43 | 14 | 354 | 17·5 | 2·4 | 65 | 97 | 0 | 27 | 1 | 10 | 6 | 4 | 0 | 5 | 71 | 11 | 50·1 | 33·0 | 38·5 | 1·82 | 7·4 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, | 426,300 | 144 | 74 | 145 | 24 | 3 | 124 | 15·2 | 0·7 | 10 | 59 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 28 | 5 | 50·0 | 31·0 | 38·1 | 1·59 | 16·7 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, | 174,800 | 51 | 23 | 64 | 6 | 0 | 58 | 17·3 | 1·8 | 5 | 23 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 11 | 1 | 46·5 | 29·7 | 36·0 | 1·21 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, | 158,500 | 53 | 30 | 56 | 5 | 5 | 56 | 18·5 | 0·7 | 10 | 24 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | *1 | 2 | 9 | 1 | 43·0 | 32·0 | 36·4 | 0·56 | 17·9 | ABERDEEN. |
| PAISLEY, | 87,900 | 37 | 7 | 24 | 5 | 0 | 19 | 11·3 | 0·0 | 5 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 50·0 | 32·2 | 38·8 | 2·24 | 9·8 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, | 80,200 | 45 | 7 | 22 | 0 | 1 | 23 | 15·0 | 1·3 | 3 | 10 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 49·9 | 32·0 | 39·5 | 2·41 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 70,100 | 31 | 11 | 10 | 0 | 4 | 14 | 10·4 | 0·0 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, | 48,600 | 23 | 3 | 6 | 0 | 7 | 13 | 14·0 | 0·0 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, | 44,300 | 22 | 7 | 9 | 0 | 1 | 10 | 11·8 | 1·2 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, | 38,200 | 8 | 3 | 16 | 4 | 2 | 14 | 19·2 | 0·0 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, | 41,100 | 11 | 3 | 13 | 1 | 1 | 13 | 16·5 | 0·0 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, | 41,100 | 29 | 3 | 8 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 11·5 | 0·0 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, | 37,400 | 18 | 6 | 11 | 1 | 2 | 12 | 16·8 | 0·0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, | 37,500 | 15 | 3 | 8 | 2 | 0 | 6 | 8·4 | 0·0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, | 36,000 | 13 | 9 | 15 | 2 | 2 | 15 | 21·8 | 0·0 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | FALKIRK. |
| PERTH, | 33,700 | 11 | 4 | 16 | 4 | 0 | 12 | 18·6 | 0·0 | 3 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 50·0 | 30·0 | 37·6 | 1·13 | 11·1 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** Feb. 4, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 940 | 333 | 806 | 97 | 43 | 752 | 16·3 | 1·4 | 119 | 265 | 0 | 32 | 2 | 15 | 12 | 4 | *1 | 13 | 154 | 21 | 50·1 | 29·7 | 37·8 | 1·57 | ... | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| Jan. 28, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 965 | 227 | 851 | 89 | 36 | 798 | 17·3 | 1·8 | 126 | 263 | 0 | 44 | 1 | 12 | 14 | 11 | *4 | 7 | 154 | 32 | 54·0 | 29·0 | 39·9 | 1·59 | ... | |
| Feb. 5, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 1,037 | 304 | 804 | 77 | 35 | 762 | 16·6 | 0·9 | 134 | 257 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 14 | 15 | 8 | 0 | 24 | 131 | 36 | 51·0 | 22·0 | 39·1 | 0·82 | | |

*Note*:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

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# WEEKLY RETURN

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IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

*By Authority of the Registrar-General*

**No. 6. Week ending SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1928. Price 2d. net.**

During the week ending 11th February 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 965 living children, the deaths of 810 persons, and 250 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 761. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·9 per thousand, the marriage-rate 5·4, and the death-rate (corrected) 16·5.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·6 more than in the previous week, but 1·3 below the average. The marriage-rate is 1·8 less than in the previous week, and 0·4 below the average. The death-rate is 0·2 more than in the previous week, and 1·1 above the average.

The weekly death-rate in the individual towns averaged 15·9, and varied from 22·4 in Coatbridge and 20·8 in Paisley, to 10·8 in Clydebank and 11·2 in Motherwell and Wishaw. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Hamilton (20·4), in Ayr (19·5), in Dundee (18·8), in Perth (18·6), in Glasgow (17·5) and in Aberdeen (17·2). In Edinburgh the rate was 14·0.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 64, and are 1 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·4 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, 27 from measles (of which 26 occurred in Glasgow), 2 from scarlet fever, 19 from whooping cough, 11 from diphtheria, and 5 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 4 more, and from the diarrhœas of childhood 1 more, but those from scarlet fever number the same, while from diphtheria they are 1 fewer, and from measles 5 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 7, and are 6 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 141, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 3·1 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·2 less than in the previous week, but is the same as the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 118, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 281. The former are 1 fewer than in the previous week, but the latter are 16 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 32, and are 11 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 41°·7, being 3°·9 above that for the previous week, and 4°·7 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1·42 inch.

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 11, 1928.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (See Note.) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Temperature. Minimum. | Temperature. Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, . . . . | 1,060,500 | 454 | 129 | 380 | 34 | 8 | 354 | 17·5 | 2·2 | 62 | 106 | 0 | 26 | 1 | 13 | 2 | 3 | *1 | 4 | 76 | 16 | 51·6 | 33·1 | 41·4 | 1·39 | 12·4 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, . . . | 426,300 | 136 | 47 | 126 | 15 | 3 | 114 | 14·0 | 0·6 | 14 | 57 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 13 | 6 | 53·0 | 31·0 | 40·9 | 1·07 | 13·5 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, . . . . . | 174,800 | 69 | 13 | 68 | 6 | 1 | 63 | 18·8 | 0·3 | 8 | 23 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 14 | 5 | 51·5 | 30·2 | 40·8 | 0·81 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, . . . . | 158,500 | 68 | 17 | 58 | 8 | 2 | 52 | 17·2 | 1·0 | 6 | 26 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 8 | 2 | 56·0 | 33·0 | 42·0 | 0·51 | 19·5 | ABERDEEN. |
| PAISLEY, . . . . . | 87,900 | 31 | 2 | 34 | 1 | 2 | 35 | 20·8 | 0·0 | 7 | 14 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 1 | 51·5 | 33·0 | 42·6 | 2·15 | 15·2 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, . . . . | 80,200 | 31 | 9 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 20 | 13·0 | 2·0 | 2 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 53·0 | 33·0 | 43·0 | 2·89 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, . . . . | 70,100 | 28 | 5 | 12 | 0 | 3 | 15 | 11·2 | 0·0 | 1 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, . . . | 48,600 | 23 | 4 | 6 | 0 | 4 | 10 | 10·8 | 1·1 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, . . . | 44,300 | 23 | 4 | 19 | 1 | 1 | 19 | 22·4 | 2·4 | 6 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, . . | 38,200 | 15 | 1 | 8 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 12·3 | 1·4 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, . . . . | 41,100 | 13 | 2 | 8 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 11·4 | 0·0 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, . . . . | 41,100 | 16 | 4 | 18 | 3 | 1 | 16 | 20·4 | 2·5 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, . . . | 37,400 | 17 | 6 | 10 | 1 | 0 | 9 | 12·6 | 0·0 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | .. | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, . . . . . | 37,500 | 15 | 3 | 16 | 2 | 0 | 14 | 19·5 | 0·0 | 1 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, . . . . . | 36,000 | 13 | 2 | 13 | 3 | 0 | 10 | 14·5 | 0·0 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | .. | FALKIRK |
| PERTH, . . . . . | 33,700 | 13 | 2 | 14 | 2 | 0 | 12 | 18·6 | 1·6 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 53·0 | 28·0 | 41·1 | 1·14 | 15·4 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** Feb. 11, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 965 | 250 | 810 | 76 | 27 | 761 | 16·5 | 1·4 | 118 | 281 | 0 | 27 | 2 | 19 | 11 | 5 | *1 | 7 | 141 | 32 | 56·0 | 28·0 | 41·7 | 1·42 | ... | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| Feb. 4, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 940 | 333 | 806 | 97 | 48 | 752 | 16·3 | 1·4 | 119 | 265 | 0 | 32 | 2 | 15 | 12 | 4 | *1 | 13 | 154 | 21 | 50·1 | 29·7 | 37·8 | 1·57 | .. | |
| Feb. 12, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 980 | 250 | 712 | 66 | 31 | 677 | 14·7 | 0·6 | 109 | 242 | 0 | 5 | 2 | 6 | 8 | 5 | *1 | 19 | 158 | 16 | 51·2 | 21·0 | 37·0 | 0·10 | .. | |

*Note*:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

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# WEEKLY RETURN

OF

# Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

*By Authority of the Registrar-General*

**No. 7. Week ending SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 1928. Price 2d. net.**

During the week ending 18th February 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 951 living children, the deaths of 774 persons, and 286 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 750. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·6 per thousand, the marriage-rate 6·2, and the death-rate (corrected) 16·2.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·3 less than in the previous week, and 2·3 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·8 more than in the previous week, and 0·5 above the average. The death-rate is 0·3 less than in the previous week, but 0·3 above the average.

The weekly death-rate in the individual towns averaged 15·5, and varied from 27·4 in Greenock and 19·2 in Dunfermline, to 8·4 in Kilmarnock and 10·8 in Clydebank. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Ayr (18·1), in Kirkcaldy (17·8), in Falkirk (17·4), in Perth (17·1), and in Glasgow (17·0). In Edinburgh the rate was 16·4, in Dundee 14·1, and in Aberdeen 14·5.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 80, and are 16 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·7 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, 34 from measles (of which 31 occurred in Glasgow), 2 from scarlet fever, 27 from whooping-cough, 10 from diphtheria, and 7 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 8 more, from measles 7 more, and from the diarrhœas of childhood 2 more, but those from scarlet fever number the same, while from diphtheria they are 1 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 9, and are 2 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 134, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·9 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·2 less than in the previous week, and is 0·3 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 106, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 237. The former are 12 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 44 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 27, and are 5 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 40°·4, being 2°·6 above that for the previous week, and 0°·1 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·75 inch.

*NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the three preceding years.*

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 18, 1928.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (See Note.) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Minimum. | Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, | 1,060,500 | 412 | 157 | 351 | 21 | 15 | 345 | 17·0 | 2·7 | 49 | 86 | 0 | 31 | 2 | 13 | 4 | 4 | *1 | 3 | 77 | 10 | 52·4 | 33·0 | 40·8 | 1·17 | 10·6 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, | 426,300 | 139 | 40 | 151 | 21 | 4 | 134 | 16·4 | 1·0 | 16 | 53 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 17 | 7 | 55·0 | 31·0 | 40·2 | 0·41 | 20·9 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, | 174,800 | 57 | 16 | 48 | 3 | 2 | 47 | 14·1 | 0·9 | 9 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 3 | 50·9 | 29·5 | 38·9 | 0·15 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, | 158,500 | 68 | 26 | 44 | 4 | 4 | 44 | 14·5 | 0·7 | 5 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 1 | 54·0 | 30·0 | 40·2 | 0·08 | 27·4 | ABERDEEN. |
| PAISLEY, | 87,900 | 39 | 8 | 23 | 1 | 0 | 22 | 13·1 | 0·6 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 52·7 | 32·0 | 41·3 | 1·27 | 15·4 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, | 80,200 | 46 | 4 | 42 | 0 | 0 | 42 | 27·4 | 3·9 | 6 | 13 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 53·0 | 32·8 | 41·2 | 1·83 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 70,100 | 29 | 3 | 13 | 1 | 3 | 15 | 11·2 | 0·7 | 5 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, | 48,600 | 22 | 3 | 6 | 0 | 4 | 10 | 10·8 | 0·0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, | 44,300 | 19 | 5 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 11·8 | 1·2 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, | 38,200 | 18 | 2 | 14 | 2 | 2 | 14 | 19·2 | 0·0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, | 41,100 | 20 | 1 | 13 | 3 | 4 | 14 | 17·8 | 2·5 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, | 41,100 | 19 | 4 | 10 | 0 | 1 | 11 | 14·0 | 0·0 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, | 37,400 | 19 | 7 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 8·4 | 0·0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, | 37,500 | 19 | 5 | 14 | 2 | 1 | 13 | 18·1 | 0·0 | 3 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, | 36,000 | 18 | 1 | 13 | 1 | 0 | 12 | 17·4 | 2·9 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | FALKIRK |
| PERTH, | 33,700 | 7 | 4 | 16 | 7 | 2 | 11 | 17·1 | 0·0 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 54·0 | 29·0 | 40·2 | 0·31 | 24·5 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** Feb. 18, 1928, | **2,416,200** | **951** | **286** | **774** | **66** | **42** | **750** | **16·2** | **1·7** | **106** | **237** | **0** | **34** | **2** | **27** | **10** | **7** | ***1** | **9** | **134** | **27** | **55·0** | **29·0** | **40·4** | **0·75** | ... | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| Feb. 11, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 965 | 250 | 810 | 76 | 27 | 761 | 16·5 | 1·4 | 118 | 281 | 0 | 27 | 2 | 19 | 11 | 5 | *1 | 7 | 141 | 32 | 56·0 | 28·0 | 41·7 | 1·42 | ... | |
| Feb. 19, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 978 | 266 | 815 | 64 | 31 | 782 | 17·0 | 0·7 | 127 | 296 | 0 | 4 | 3 | 17 | 5 | 5 | *3 | 22 | 176 | 34 | 55·0 | 20·0 | 40·3 | 0·29 | ... | |

*Note:*—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

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# WEEKLY RETURN

OF

# Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

*By Authority of the Registrar-General*

**No. 8. Week ending SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1928. Price 2d. net.**

During the week ending 25th February 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 933 living children, the deaths of 730 persons, and 345 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 688. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·2 per thousand, the marriage-rate 7·5, and the death-rate (corrected) 14·9.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·4 less than in the previous week, and 2·8 below the average. The marriage-rate is 1·3 more than in the previous week, and 1·0 above the average. The death-rate is 1·3 less than in the previous week, and 1·9 below the average.

The weekly death-rate in the individual towns averaged 14·7, and varied from 20·0 in Coatbridge and 19·6 in Kilmarnock, to 8·9 in Hamilton and 9·8 in Ayr. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Falkirk (18·9), in Dunfermline (17·8), in Paisley (17·3), in Glasgow (16·4), and in Aberdeen (16·2). In Edinburgh the rate was 11·8, and in Dundee 12·0.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 55, and are 25 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·2 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, 27 from measles (of which 20 occurred in Glasgow), 1 from scarlet fever, 16 from whooping-cough, 4 from diphtheria, and 7 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from the diarrhœas of childhood number the same, but those from whooping-cough are 11 fewer, from measles 7 fewer, from diphtheria 6 fewer, and from scarlet fever 1 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 11, and are 2 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 126, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·7 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·2 less than in the previous week, and is 0·7 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 95, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 247. The former are 11 fewer than in the previous week, but the latter are 10 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 38, and are 11 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 42°·0, being 1°·6 above that for the previous week, but 0°·7 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·03 inch.

*NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the three preceding years.*

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 25, 1928.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (See Note.) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Temperature. Minimum. | Temperature. Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, | 1,060,500 | 438 | 171 | 350 | 23 | 6 | 333 | 16·4 | 1·7 | 48 | 106 | 0 | 20 | 1 | 9 | 3 | 2 | *1 | 6 | 65 | 15 | 51·5 | 32·3 | 42·2 | 0·05 | 18·7 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, | 426,300 | 150 | 60 | 113 | 21 | 4 | 96 | 11·8 | 0·5 | 7 | 46 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | *1 | 1 | 15 | 8 | 53·0 | 31·0 | 41·9 | 0·00 | 31·5 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, | 174,800 | 64 | 17 | 41 | 1 | 0 | 40 | 12·0 | 0·3 | 4 | 16 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 3 | 53·5 | 30·2 | 41·1 | 0·00 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, | 158,500 | 56 | 26 | 56 | 11 | 4 | 49 | 16·2 | 1·0 | 8 | 28 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 5 | 1 | 53·0 | 28·0 | 41·9 | 0·00 | 16·3 | ABERDEEN. |
| PAISLEY, | 87,900 | 39 | 10 | 28 | 1 | 2 | 29 | 17·3 | 0·6 | 7 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 55·5 | 31·0 | 43·2 | 0·03 | 15·9 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, | 80,200 | 34 | 13 | 23 | 1 | 1 | 23 | 15·0 | 3·9 | 5 | 4 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 1 | 50·4 | 33·2 | 42·0 | 0·08 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 70,100 | 35 | 12 | 14 | 0 | 3 | 17 | 12·7 | 0·7 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, | 48,600 | 23 | 5 | 9 | 1 | 4 | 12 | 12·9 | 1·1 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, | 44,300 | 9 | 8 | 16 | 0 | 1 | 17 | 20·0 | 2·4 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, | 38,200 | 13 | 4 | 13 | 2 | 2 | 13 | 17·8 | 0·0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, | 41,100 | 7 | 4 | 11 | 2 | 1 | 10 | 12·7 | 0·0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, | 41,100 | 14 | 4 | 8 | 1 | 0 | 7 | 8·9 | 0·0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, | 37,400 | 14 | 4 | 17 | 3 | 0 | 14 | 19·6 | 1·4 | 4 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, | 37,500 | 14 | 2 | 9 | 2 | 0 | 7 | 9·8 | 0·0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, | 36,000 | 11 | 1 | 14 | 3 | 2 | 13 | 18·9 | 0·0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | .. | FALKIRK. |
| PERTH, | 33,700 | 12 | 4 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 12·4 | 0·0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 56·0 | 27·0 | 41·8 | 0·02 | 26·2 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** Feb. 25, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 933 | 345 | 730 | 72 | 30 | 688 | 14·9 | 1·2 | 95 | 247 | 0 | 27 | 1 | 16 | 4 | 7 | *2 | 11 | 126 | 38 | 56·0 | 27·0 | 42·0 | 0·03 | ... | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| Feb. 18, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 951 | 286 | 774 | 66 | 42 | 750 | 16·2 | 1·7 | 106 | 237 | 0 | 34 | 2 | 27 | 10 | 7 | *2 | 9 | 134 | 27 | 55·0 | 29·0 | 40·4 | 0·75 | ... | |
| Feb. 26, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 1026 | 290 | 825 | 75 | 39 | 789 | 17·2 | 0·8 | 114 | 272 | 0 | 4 | 3 | 15 | 4 | 9 | *1 | 45 | 191 | 21 | 53·0 | 27·0 | 42·7 | 0·88 | ... | |

*Note*:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

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# Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

*By Authority of the Registrar-General*

**No. 9. Week ending SATURDAY, MARCH 3, 1928. Price 2d. net.**

During the week ending 3rd March 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 942 living children, the deaths of 747 persons, and 312 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 702. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·4 per thousand, the marriage-rate 6·8, and the death-rate (corrected) 15·2.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·2 more than in the previous week, but 2·1 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·7 less than in the previous week, and 1·2 below the average. The death-rate is 0·3 more than in the previous week, but 0·7 below the average.

The weekly death-rate in the individual towns averaged 15·1, and varied from 23·8 in Kilmarnock and 18·1 in Ayr, to 10·2 in Kirkcaldy and in Hamilton, and 10·8 in Clydebank. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Aberdeen (17·5), in Dunfermline (16·4), in Greenock (16·3), in Falkirk (16·0), in Glasgow (15·7), and in Perth (15·5). In Edinburgh the rate was 14·4, and in Dundee 12·9.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 57, and are 2 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·2 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, 26 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 14 from whooping-cough, 9 from diphtheria, and 7 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from diphtheria are 5 more, but those from scarlet fever and from the diarrhœas of childhood each number the same, while from measles they are 1 fewer, and from whooping-cough 2 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 13, and are 2 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 118, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·6 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 less than in the previous week, and is 0·8 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 100, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 253. The former are 5 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 6 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 24, and are 14 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 39°·8, being 2°·2 below that for the previous week, and 4°·7 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·72 inch.

*NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the three preceding years.*

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING MARCH 3, 1928.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (See Note.) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Temperature. Minimum. | Temperature. Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, | 1,060,500 | 447 | 154 | 351 | 43 | 11 | 319 | 15·7 | 1·6 | 49 | 97 | 0 | 15 | 0 | 10 | 4 | 3 | *1 | 6 | 66 | 14 | 48·7 | 33·2 | 40·4 | 0·22 | 16·7 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, | 426,300 | 125 | 55 | 134 | 18 | 1 | 117 | 14·4 | 0·7 | 13 | 47 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 16 | 3 | 50·0 | 28·0 | 38·7 | 0·13 | 16·5 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, | 174,800 | 72 | 20 | 44 | 3 | 2 | 43 | 12·9 | 0·9 | 6 | 18 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 50·8 | 28·0 | 39·1 | 0·74 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, | 158,500 | 50 | 23 | 50 | 6 | 9 | 53 | 17·5 | 1·0 | 10 | 23 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 2 | 53·0 | 31·0 | 40·1 | 1·09 | 20·7 | ABERDEEN. |
| PAISLEY, | 87,900 | 31 | 6 | 23 | 0 | 2 | 25 | 14·9 | 0·6 | 3 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 52·8 | 30·9 | 41·0 | 0·27 | 14·6 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, | 80,200 | 43 | 9 | 28 | 3 | 0 | 25 | 16·3 | 3·9 | 5 | 7 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 49·6 | 33·0 | 40·4 | 0·43 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 70,100 | 38 | 5 | 17 | 0 | 2 | 19 | 14·2 | 0·0 | 4 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, | 48,600 | 17 | 6 | 4 | 0 | 6 | 10 | 10·8 | 2·2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, | 44,300 | 20 | 7 | 11 | 0 | 1 | 12 | 14·2 | 2·4 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, | 38,200 | 9 | 5 | 11 | 1 | 2 | 12 | 16·4 | 0·0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, | 41,100 | 15 | 1 | 9 | 1 | 0 | 8 | 10·2 | 0·0 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, | 41,100 | 19 | 7 | 9 | 2 | 1 | 8 | 10·2 | 0·0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, | 37,400 | 14 | 3 | 15 | 1 | 3 | 17 | 23·8 | 0·0 | 1 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, | 37,500 | 9 | 4 | 16 | 4 | 1 | 13 | 18·1 | 0·0 | 1 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, | 36,000 | 11 | 1 | 13 | 2 | 0 | 11 | 16·0 | 1·5 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | FALKIRK. |
| PERTH, | 33,700 | 22 | 6 | 12 | 3 | 1 | 10 | 15·5 | 1·6 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 53·0 | 26·0 | 38·9 | 0·77 | 9·7 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** Mar. 3, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 942 | 312 | 747 | 87 | 42 | 702 | 15·2 | 1·2 | 100 | 253 | 0 | 26 | 1 | 14 | 9 | 7 | *1 | 13 | 118 | 24 | 53·0 | 26·0 | 39·8 | 0·72 | | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| Feb. 25, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 933 | 345 | 730 | 72 | 30 | 688 | 14·9 | 1·2 | 95 | 247 | 0 | 27 | 1 | 16 | 4 | 7 | *2 | 11 | 126 | 38 | 56·0 | 27·0 | 42·0 | 0·03 | | |
| Mar. 5, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 1028 | 406 | 852 | 86 | 39 | 805 | 17·5 | 0·8 | 111 | 301 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 20 | 7 | 7 | *4 | 62 | 197 | 26 | 53·0 | 38·0 | 44·5 | 0·93 | ... | |

*Note*:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

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# WEEKLY RETURN

OF

# Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

*By Authority of the Registrar-General*

No. 10. Week ending SATURDAY, MARCH 10, 1928. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 10th March 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 994 living children, the deaths of 813 persons, and 243 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 786. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 21·5 per thousand, the marriage-rate 5·3, and the death-rate (corrected) 17·0.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·1 more than in the previous week, but 1·2 below the average. The marriage-rate is 1·5 less than in the previous week, but 0·4 below the average. The death-rate is 1·8 more than in the previous week, and 0·8 above the average.

The weekly death-rate in the individual towns averaged 15·5, and varied from 24·8 in Greenock and 21·6 in Kirkcaldy, to 8·4 in Kilmarnock and 8·6 in Clydebank. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Dundee (20·9), in Motherwell and Wishaw (17·9), in Glasgow (17·7), in Edinburgh (17·2), and in Perth (17·1). In Aberdeen the rate was 13·5.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 70, and are 13 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·5 per thousand. They include 1 from enteric fever, 34 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 24 from whooping-cough, 7 from diphtheria, and 3 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 10 more, from measles 8 more, and from enteric fever 1 more, but those from scarlet fever number the same, while from diphtheria they are 2 fewer, and from the diarrhœas of childhood 4 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 11, and are 2 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 151, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 3·3 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·7 more than in the previous week, and is 0·2 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 112, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 261. The former are 12 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 8 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 29, and are 5 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 38°·7, being 1°·1 below that for the previous week, and 1°·7 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·35 inch.

*NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the three preceding years.*

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING MARCH 10, 1928.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (See Note.) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Temperature. Minimum. | Temperature. Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, | 1,060,500 | 496 | 118 | 377 | 27 | 9 | 359 | 17·7 | 1·8 | 55 | 100 | 0 | 19 | 1 | 13 | 4 | 0 | *1 | 7 | 79 | 8 | 49·6 | 31·8 | 39·3 | 0·38 | 5·8 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, | 426,300 | 139 | 48 | 154 | 20 | 6 | 140 | 17·2 | 1·6 | 21 | 53 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 2 | *2 | 1 | 23 | 4 | 44·0 | 28·0 | 37·6 | 0·35 | 6·5 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, | 174,800 | 68 | 15 | 70 | 1 | 1 | 70 | 20·9 | 0·6 | 5 | 35 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 15 | 5 | 43·5 | 27·0 | 37·3 | 0·56 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, | 158,500 | 60 | 21 | 45 | 5 | 1 | 41 | 13·5 | 0·3 | 5 | 12 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 4 | 44·0 | 33·0 | 38·4 | 0·42 | 10·8 | ABERDEEN. |
| PAISLEY, | 87,900 | 36 | 12 | 22 | 1 | 1 | 22 | 13·1 | 1·2 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 51·8 | 29·0 | 39·8 | 0·30 | 6·4 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, | 80,200 | 31 | 6 | 37 | 0 | 1 | 38 | 24·8 | 7·2 | 10 | 7 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 50·4 | 31·0 | 39·7 | 0·18 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 70,100 | 30 | 4 | 18 | 1 | 7 | 24 | 17·9 | 1·5 | 6 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, | 48,600 | 8 | 2 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 8 | 8·6 | 0·0 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, | 44,300 | 16 | 1 | 11 | 0 | 1 | 12 | 14·2 | 1·2 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, | 38,200 | 12 | 4 | 11 | 2 | 1 | 10 | 13·7 | 0·0 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, | 41,100 | 17 | 3 | 17 | 1 | 1 | 17 | 21·6 | 0·0 | 1 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, | 41,100 | 21 | 3 | 8 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 11·5 | 1·3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, | 37,400 | 17 | 0 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 8·4 | 0·0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, | 37,500 | 12 | 1 | 10 | 2 | 1 | 9 | 12·6 | 0·0 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, | 36,000 | 18 | 1 | 8 | 1 | 3 | 10 | 14·5 | 0·0 | | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | FALKIRK |
| PERTH, | 33,700 | 13 | 4 | 12 | 2 | 1 | 11 | 17·1 | 0·0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 48·0 | 28·0 | 38·8 | 0·26 | 4·3 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** Mar. 10, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 994 | 243 | 813 | 64 | 37 | 786 | 17·0 | 1·5 | 112 | 261 | 1 | 34 | 1 | 24 | 7 | 3 | *3 | 11 | 151 | 29 | 51·8 | 27·0 | 38·7 | 0·35 | ... | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| Mar. 3, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 942 | 312 | 747 | 87 | 42 | 702 | 15·2 | 1·2 | 100 | 253 | 0 | 26 | 1 | 14 | 9 | 7 | *1 | 13 | 118 | 24 | 53·0 | 26·0 | 39·8 | 0·72 | ... | |
| Mar. 12, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 1008 | 274 | 830 | 81 | 42 | 791 | 17·2 | 0·9 | 99 | 292 | 0 | 8 | 2 | 12 | 10 | 10 | *2 | 61 | 174 | 25 | 51·0 | 29·0 | 40·4 | 0·24 | ... | |

*Note*:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

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# WEEKLY RETURN

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# Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

*By Authority of the Registrar-General*

**No. 11. Week ending SATURDAY, MARCH 17, 1928. Price 2d. net.**

During the week ending 17th March 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 984 living children, the deaths of 787 persons, and 218 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 752. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 21·3 per thousand, the marriage-rate 4·7, and the death-rate (corrected) 16·3.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·2 less than in the previous week, and 2·6 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·6 less than in the previous week, but 0·2 above the average. The death-rate is 0·7 less than in the previous week, but 0·1 above the average.

The weekly death-rate in the individual towns averaged 14·7, and varied from 26·1 in Greenock and 17·4 in Glasgow, to 8·2 in Dunfermline and 10·2 in Hamilton. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Aberdeen (16·8), in Kilmarnock (16·8), in Kirkcaldy (16·5), in Paisley (16·1), in Edinburgh (15·7), and in Ayr (15·3). In Dundee this rate was 14·7.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 71, and are 1 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·5 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, 31 from measles, none from scarlet fever, 24 from whooping-cough, 7 from diphtheria, and 9 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from the diarrhœas of childhood are 6 more, but those from whooping-cough and from diphtheria each number the same, while those from scarlet fever are 1 fewer, and from measles 3 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 10, and are 1 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 177, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 3·8 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·5 more than in the previous week, and is 0·7 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 119, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 249. The former are 7 more than in the previous week, but the latter are 12 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 23, and are 6 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 36°·8, being 1°·9 below that for the previous week, and 7°·0 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·64 inch.

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING MARCH 17, 1928.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (*See Note.*) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Temperature. Minimum. | Temperature. Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, . . . . | 1,060,500 | 440 | 97 | 368 | 28 | 13 | 353 | 17·4 | 2·1 | 59 | 104 | 0 | 14 | 0 | 20 | 4 | 5 | *4 | 3 | 88 | 9 | 51·0 | 26·3 | 36·5 | 0·57 | 6·6 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, . . . | 426,300 | 145 | 43 | 141 | 15 | 2 | 128 | 15·7 | 0·4 | 9 | 55 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 31 | 4 | 55·0 | 24·0 | 36·9 | 0·18 | 10·9 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, . . . . . | 174,800 | 80 | 10 | 49 | 0 | 0 | 49 | 14·7 | 0·0 | 10 | 23 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 13 | 1 | 49·2 | 26·6 | 36·4 | 0·70 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, . . . . | 158,500 | 68 | 21 | 57 | 9 | 3 | 51 | 16·8 | 2·3 | 11 | 22 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 50·0 | 30·0 | 38·5 | 0·12 | 5·5 | ABERDEEN. |
| PAISLEY, . . . . . | 87,900 | 36 | 3 | 28 | 2 | 1 | 27 | 16·1 | 0·0 | 3 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 3 | 51·1 | 22·4 | 36·4 | 0·93 | 7·7 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, . . . . | 80,200 | 35 | 6 | 42 | 2 | 0 | 40 | 26·1 | 10·4 | 10 | 4 | 0 | 12 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 1 | 50·7 | 27·0 | 36·2 | 1·13 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, . . . . | 70,100 | 30 | 6 | 10 | 0 | 4 | 14 | 10·4 | 0·0 | 3 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, . . . | 48,600 | 25 | 6 | 8 | 1 | 4 | 11 | 11·8 | 0·0 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, . . . | 44,300 | 19 | 1 | 11 | 0 | 1 | 12 | 14·2 | 1·2 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, . . | 38,200 | 10 | 1 | 8 | 2 | 0 | 6 | 8·2 | 0·0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, . . . . | 41,100 | 16 | 4 | 12 | 0 | 1 | 13 | 16·5 | 0·0 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, . . . . | 41,100 | 18 | 1 | 10 | 2 | 0 | 8 | 10·2 | 0·0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, . . . | 37,400 | 13 | 5 | 14 | 3 | 1 | 12 | 16·8 | 0·0 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, . . . . . | 37,500 | 22 | 3 | 12 | 1 | 0 | 11 | 15·3 | 0·0 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, . . . . . | 36,000 | 15 | 5 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 11·6 | 0·0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | . | FALKIRK |
| PERTH, . . . . . | 33,700 | 12 | 6 | 9 | 1 | 1 | 9 | 14·0 | 1·6 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 52·0 | 23·0 | 36·8 | 0·87 | 8·0 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** Mar. 17, 1928, | **2,416,200** | **984** | **218** | **787** | **66** | **31** | **752** | **16·3** | **1·5** | **119** | **249** | **0** | **31** | **0** | **24** | **7** | **9** | ***4** | **10** | **177** | **23** | **55·0** | **22·4** | **36·8** | **0·64** | ... | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| Mar. 10, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 994 | 243 | 813 | 64 | 37 | 786 | 17·0 | 1·5 | 112 | 261 | 1 | 34 | 1 | 24 | 7 | 3 | *3 | 11 | 151 | 29 | 51·8 | 27·0 | 38·7 | 0·35 | ... | |
| Mar. 19, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 1093 | 219 | 788 | 83 | 30 | 735 | 16·0 | 0·8 | 105 | 265 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 18 | 4 | 10 | *3 | 47 | 168 | 22 | 57·2 | 29·0 | 43·8 | 0·29 | ... | |

*Note*:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

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IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

*By Authority of the Registrar-General*

**No. 12. Week ending SATURDAY, MARCH 24, 1928. Price 2d. net.**

During the week ending 24th March 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 1047 living children, the deaths of 897 persons, and 216 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 847. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 22·7 per thousand, the marriage-rate 4·7, and the death-rate (corrected) 18·3.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·4 more than in the previous week, but 0·7 below the average. The marriage-rate is the same as in the previous week, but 1·1 below the average. The death-rate is 2·0 more than in the previous week, and 2·0 above the average.

The weekly death-rate in the individual towns averaged 17·3, and varied from 29·5 in Coatbridge and 25·4 in Hamilton, to 8·2 in Motherwell and Wishaw and 9·8 in Ayr. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Greenock (20·2), in Glasgow (19·9), in Dundee (19·7), in Kilmarnock (18·2), in Aberdeen (17·8), and in Dunfermline (17·8). In Edinburgh the rate was 16·3.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 76, and are 5 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·6 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, 31 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 29 from whooping-cough, 9 from diphtheria, and 6 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 5 more, from diphtheria 2 more, and from scarlet fever 1 more, but those from measles number the same, while from the diarrhœas of childhood they are 3 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 11, and are 1 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 169, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 3·7 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 less than in the previous week, but is 0·1 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 125, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 293. The former are 6 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 44 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 29, and are 6 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 42°·9, being 6°·1 above that for the previous week, but 3°·6 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1·49 inch.

*NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the three preceding years.*

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING MARCH 24, 1928.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (*See Note.*) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Minimum. | Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, . . . . | 1,060,500 | 483 | 93 | 438 | 41 | 7 | 404 | 19·9 | 2·1 | 61 | 124 | 0 | 16 | 1 | 18 | 4 | 3 | *2 | 7 | 92 | 13 | 55·0 | 32·3 | 43·8 | 1·49 | 5·1 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, . . . | 426,300 | 162 | 50 | 150 | 20 | 3 | 133 | 16·3 | 1·6 | 21 | 54 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 5 | 1 | 2 | *1 | 3 | 20 | 5 | 54·0 | 30·0 | 42·7 | 0·48 | 11·9 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, . . . . . | 174,800 | 84 | 10 | 65 | 0 | 1 | 66 | 19·7 | 0·3 | 11 | 22 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 4 | 50·7 | 33·0 | 40·6 | 1·61 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, . . . . | 158,500 | 63 | 24 | 49 | 8 | 13 | 54 | 17·8 | 0·7 | 5 | 26 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 3 | 49·0 | 34·0 | 42·1 | 1·03 | 6·2 | ABERDEEN. |
| PAISLEY, . . . . . | 87,900 | 31 | 7 | 28 | 2 | 0 | 26 | 15·5 | 1·2 | 2 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | *1 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 54·8 | 32·0 | 44·8 | 1·58 | 6·6 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, . . . . | 80,200 | 31 | 5 | 34 | 3 | 0 | 31 | 20·2 | 5·9 | 10 | 7 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 53·7 | 32·9 | 43·5 | 2·72 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, . . . . | 70,100 | 33 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 2 | 11 | 8·2 | 0·0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, . . . | 48,600 | 25 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 5 | 11 | 11·8 | 0·0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, . . . | 44,300 | 27 | 2 | 19 | 0 | 6 | 25 | 29·5 | 3·5 | 6 | 6 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, . . | 38,200 | 8 | 3 | 14 | 1 | 0 | 13 | 17·8 | 0·0 | 1 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, . . . . | 41,100 | 32 | 5 | 11 | 1 | 2 | 12 | 15·2 | 0·0 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, . . . . | 41,100 | 11 | 2 | 19 | 1 | 2 | 20 | 25·4 | 1·3 | 3 | 8 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, . . . | 37,400 | 11 | 3 | 16 | 4 | 1 | 13 | 18·2 | 0·0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, . . . . . | 37,500 | 21 | 4 | 9 | 2 | 0 | 7 | 9·8 | 1·4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, . . . . . | 36,000 | 15 | 3 | 13 | 3 | 1 | 11 | 16·0 | 1·5 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | FALKIRK |
| PERTH, . . . . . | 33,700 | 10 | 3 | 17 | 8 | 1 | 10 | 15·5 | 1·6 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 53·0 | 34·0 | 43·0 | 1·50 | 5·5 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** Mar. 24, 1928, | **2,416,200** | **1047** | **216** | **897** | **94** | **44** | **847** | **18·3** | **1·6** | **125** | **293** | **0** | **31** | **1** | **29** | **9** | **6** | ***4** | **11** | **169** | **29** | **55·0** | **30·0** | **42·9** | **1·49** | ... | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| Mar. 17, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 984 | 218 | 787 | 66 | 31 | 752 | 16·3 | 1·5 | 119 | 249 | 0 | 31 | 0 | 24 | 7 | 9 | *4 | 10 | 177 | 23 | 55·0 | 22·4 | 36·8 | 0·64 | ... | |
| Mar. 26, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 1075 | 256 | 811 | 77 | 29 | 763 | 16·6 | 1·0 | 116 | 287 | 0 | 7 | 2 | 24 | 5 | 10 | *4 | 43 | 156 | 32 | 62·1 | 36·0 | 46·5 | 1·17 | ... | |

*Note*:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

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# WEEKLY RETURN

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IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

*By Authority of the Registrar-General*

**No. 13. Week ending SATURDAY, MARCH 31, 1928. Price 2d. net.**

During the week ending 31st March 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 997 living children, the deaths of 816 persons, and 251 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 780. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 21·6 per thousand, the marriage rate 5·4, and the death-rate (corrected) 16·9.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·1 less than in the previous week, and 0·9 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·7 more than in the previous week, but 1·4 below the average. The death-rate is 1·4 less than in the previous week, and 1·1 below the average.

The weekly death-rate in the individual towns averaged 16·1, and varied from 27·4 in Dunfermline and 23·5 in Greenock, to 7·5 in Motherwell and Wishaw, and 9·7 in Clydebank. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Glasgow (19·1), in Perth (18·6), in Ayr (18·1), in Falkirk (17·4), and in Kilmarnock (16·8). In Edinburgh the rate was 13·2, in Dundee 16·4, and in Aberdeen 16·5.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 60, and are 16 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·3 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, 32 from measles, none from scarlet fever, 21 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, and 4 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from measles are 1 more, but those from the diarrhœas of childhood are 2 fewer, from diphtheria 6 fewer, and from whooping-cough 8 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 16, and are 5 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 153, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 3·3 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·4 less than in the previous week, and is 0·6 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 114, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 263. The former are 11 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 30 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 28, and are 1 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 42·7, being 0·2 below that for the previous week, but the same as that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·99 inch.

*NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the three preceding years.*

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING MARCH 31, 1928.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (*See Note.*) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Temperature. Minimum. | Temperature. Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, | 1,060,500 | 463 | 125 | 389 | 14 | 12 | 387 | 19·1 | 1·5 | 64 | 118 | 0 | 13 | 0 | 13 | 2 | 2 | *1 | 9 | 74 | 15 | 50·3 | 33·8 | 43·0 | 0·84 | 17·9 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, | 426,300 | 139 | 44 | 127 | 22 | 3 | 108 | 13·2 | 1·2 | 10 | 45 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 26 | 2 | 51·0 | 33·0 | 41·8 | 0·36 | 21·5 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, | 174,800 | 98 | 13 | 60 | 5 | 0 | 55 | 16·4 | 0·3 | 4 | 20 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 16 | 4 | 51·4 | 33·6 | 41·8 | 1·21 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, | 158,500 | 61 | 20 | 51 | 7 | 6 | 50 | 16·5 | 0·7 | 10 | 14 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 8 | 4 | 52·0 | 35·0 | 42·7 | 0·91 | 16·2 | ABERDEEN. |
| PAISLEY, | 87,900 | 33 | 10 | 29 | 5 | 0 | 24 | 14·3 | 1·8 | 4 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 53·2 | 34·0 | 43·5 | 1·03 | 24·1 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, | 80,200 | 40 | 7 | 37 | 1 | 0 | 36 | 23·5 | 6·5 | 7 | 9 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 1 | 50·1 | 32·8 | 42·3 | 1·31 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 70,100 | 25 | 5 | 7 | 0 | 3 | 10 | 7·5 | 0·0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, | 48,600 | 18 | 0 | 7 | 1 | 3 | 9 | 9·7 | 0·0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, | 44,300 | 19 | 2 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 11·8 | 0·0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, | 38,200 | 15 | 5 | 21 | 4 | 3 | 20 | 27·4 | 1·4 | 2 | 8 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, | 41,100 | 9 | 4 | 12 | 1 | 1 | 12 | 15·2 | 0·0 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, | 41,100 | 16 | 3 | 10 | 1 | 1 | 10 | 12·7 | 1·3 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, | 37,400 | 15 | 2 | 14 | 3 | 1 | 12 | 16·8 | 2·8 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, | 37,500 | 14 | 7 | 17 | 5 | 1 | 13 | 18·1 | 0·0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, | 36,000 | 20 | 1 | 9 | 2 | 5 | 12 | 17·4 | 0·0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 5 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | .. | FALKIRK |
| PERTH, | 33,700 | 12 | 3 | 16 | 4 | 0 | 12 | 18·6 | 0·0 | 2 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 53·0 | 34·0 | 43·8 | 1·28 | 20·9 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** Mar. 31, 1928, | **2,416,200** | **997** | **251** | **816** | **77** | **39** | **780** | **16·9** | **1·3** | **114** | **263** | **0** | **32** | **0** | **21** | **3** | **4** | ***1** | **16** | **153** | **28** | **53·2** | **32·8** | **42·7** | **0·99** | ... | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| Mar. 24, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 1047 | 216 | 897 | 94 | 44 | 847 | 18·3 | 1·6 | 125 | 293 | 0 | 31 | 1 | 29 | 9 | 6 | *4 | 11 | 169 | 29 | 55·0 | 30·0 | 42·9 | 1·49 | ... | |
| April 2, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 1049 | 326 | 808 | 75 | 33 | 766 | 16·7 | 0·7 | 129 | 256 | 0 | 6 | 3 | 18 | 3 | 4 | *4 | 34 | 163 | 27 | 57·1 | 28·0 | 42·7 | 0·49 | ... | |

*Note*:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

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IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

*By Authority of the Registrar-General*

**No. 14. Week ending SATURDAY, APRIL 7, 1928. Price 2d. net.**

During the week ending 7th April 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 968 living children, the deaths of 769 persons, and 339 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 740. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·9 per thousand, the marriage-rate 7·3, and the death-rate (corrected) 16·0.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·7 less than in the previous week, and 2·5 below the average. The marriage-rate is 1·9 more than in the previous week, but 1·2 below the average. The death-rate is 0·9 less than in the previous week, and 1·7 below the average.

The weekly death-rate in the individual towns averaged 16·4, and varied from 20·9 in Greenock and 20·5 in Aberdeen, to 10·4 in Motherwell and Wishaw, and 12·7 in Kirkcaldy. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Coatbridge (20·0), in Paisley (17·8), in Dunfermline (17·8), in Hamilton (17·8), in Falkirk (17·4) and in Perth (17·1). In Glasgow and in Dundee the rate was 15·6, and in Edinburgh 15·0.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 61, and are 1 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·3 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, 25 from measles, 3 from scarlet fever, 22 from whooping-cough, 6 from diphtheria, and 5 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from scarlet fever are 3 more, from diphtheria 3 more, from whooping-cough 1 more, and from the diarrhœas of childhood 1 more, but those from measles are 7 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 10, and are 6 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 146, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 3·2 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 less than in the previous week, and is 0·7 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 121, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 262. The former are 7 more than in the previous week, but the latter are 1 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 20, and are 8 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 44°·3, being 1°·6 above that for the previous week, and 0°·8 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·39 inch.

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING APRIL 7, 1928.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (*See Note.*) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Temperature. Minimum. | Temperature. Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, . . . . | 1,060,500 | 436 | 149 | 340 | 34 | 10 | 316 | 15·6 | 1·5 | 54 | 100 | 0 | 9 | 1 | 12 | 5 | 3 | *2 | 6 | 63 | 11 | 52·0 | 36·2 | 43·8 | 0·74 | 35·4 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, . . . | 426,300 | 114 | 58 | 135 | 15 | 2 | 122 | 15·0 | 1·1 | 8 | 56 | 0 | 5 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 19 | 4 | 54·0 | 36·0 | 44·4 | 0·13 | 41·2 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, . . . . . | 174,800 | 75 | 21 | 50 | 2 | 4 | 52 | 15·6 | 0·6 | 5 | 22 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 2 | 53·2 | 33·3 | 43·3 | 0·30 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, . . . . | 158,500 | 72 | 32 | 57 | 4 | 9 | 62 | 20·5 | 1·6 | 17 | 20 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 2 | 54·0 | 35·0 | 44·6 | 0·09 | 40·3 | ABERDEEN |
| PAISLEY, . . . . . | 87,900 | 42 | 8 | 28 | 0 | 2 | 30 | 17·8 | 3·0 | 11 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 56·2 | 36·1 | 45·0 | 0·77 | 42·9 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, . . . . | 80,200 | 34 | 12 | 33 | 2 | 1 | 32 | 20·9 | 3·3 | 5 | 9 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 13 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, . . . . | 70,100 | 32 | 11 | 11 | 0 | 3 | 14 | 10·4 | 0·0 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, . . . | 48,600 | 23 | 7 | 7 | 0 | 7 | 14 | 15·1 | 0·0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, . . . | 44,300 | 26 | 5 | 16 | 1 | 2 | 17 | 20·0 | 2·4 | 3 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, . . | 38,200 | 16 | 4 | 15 | 2 | 0 | 13 | 17·8 | 2·7 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, . . . . | 41,100 | 17 | 6 | 14 | 4 | 0 | 10 | 12·7 | 0·0 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, . . . . | 41,100 | 11 | 7 | 14 | 2 | 2 | 14 | 17·8 | 0·0 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, . . . | 37,400 | 18 | 2 | 11 | 1 | 1 | 11 | 15·4 | 0·0 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, . . . . . | 37,500 | 9 | 6 | 11 | 1 | 0 | 10 | 13·9 | 1·4 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, . . . . . | 36,000 | 24 | 6 | 11 | 1 | 2 | 12 | 17·4 | 0·0 | 4 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | | FALKIRK |
| PERTH, . . . . . | 33,700 | 19 | 5 | 16 | 5 | 0 | 11 | 17·1 | 0·0 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 55·0 | 32·0 | 44·4 | 0·29 | 46·1 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** Apr. 7, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 968 | 339 | 769 | 74 | 45 | 740 | 16·0 | 1·3 | 121 | 262 | 0 | 25 | 3 | 22 | 6 | 5 | *2 | 10 | 146 | 20 | 56·2 | 32·0 | 44·3 | 0·39 | ... | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| Mar. 31, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 997 | 251 | 816 | 77 | 39 | 780 | 16·9 | 1·3 | 114 | 263 | 0 | 32 | 0 | 21 | 3 | 4 | *1 | 16 | 153 | 28 | 53·2 | 32·8 | 42·7 | 0·99 | ... | |
| Apr. 9, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 1042 | 289 | 753 | 76 | 36 | 713 | 15·5 | 0·7 | 109 | 233 | 1 | 6 | 1 | 13 | 3 | 8 | *2 | 21 | 144 | 26 | 56·0 | 31·0 | 43·5 | 0·62 | ... | |

*Note*:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

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# WEEKLY RETURN

OF

# Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

*By Authority of the Registrar-General*

**No. 15. Week ending SATURDAY, APRIL 14, 1928. Price 2d. net.**

During the week ending 14th April 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 1099 living children, the deaths of 726 persons, and 584 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 705. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 23·8 per thousand, the marriage rate 12·6, and the death-rate (corrected) 15·3.

The birth-rate of the week is 2·9 more than in the previous week, but is the same as the average. The marriage-rate is 5·3 more than in the previous week, and 3·7 above the average. The death-rate is 0·7 less than in the previous week, and 1·4 below the average.

The weekly death-rate in the individual towns averaged 14·2, and varied from 21·5 in Greenock and 20·8 in Paisley, to 6·4 in Kirkcaldy and 6·5 in Clydebank. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Perth (18·6), in Dundee (16·7), in Ayr (16·7), in Hamilton (16·5), in Dunfermline (16·4) and in Glasgow (16·3). In Edinburgh the rate was 13·1, and in Aberdeen 14·8.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 60, and are 1 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·3 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, 23 from measles, 3 from scarlet fever, 14 from whooping-cough, 10 from diphtheria, and 10 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from the diarrhœas of childhood are 5 more, and from diphtheria 4 more, but those from scarlet fever number the same, while from measles they are 2 fewer, and from whooping-cough 8 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 9, and are 1 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 118, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·6 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·6 less than in the previous week, and is 0·9 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 100, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 259. The former are 21 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 3 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 27, and are 7 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 45°·6, being 1°·5 above that for the previous week, but 0°·5 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·52 inch.

*NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the three preceding years.*

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING APRIL 14, 1928.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (See Note.) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Minimum. | Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, | 1,060,500 | 511 | 299 | 338 | 30 | 23 | 331 | 16·3 | 0·9 | 47 | 111 | 0 | 5 | 1 | 6 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 64 | 16 | 57·0 | 38·8 | 47·0 | 0·24 | 3·6 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, | 426,300 | 168 | 96 | 118 | 15 | 4 | 107 | 13·1 | 0·7 | 13 | 51 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 16 | 2 | 62·0 | 34·0 | 46·1 | 0·29 | 6·5 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, | 174,800 | 93 | 78 | 56 | 1 | 1 | 56 | 16·7 | 1·5 | 5 | 24 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 1 | 54·8 | 35·0 | 43·4 | 0·47 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, | 158,500 | 67 | 35 | 45 | 5 | 5 | 45 | 14·8 | 1·6 | 7 | 23 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 2 | 57·0 | 38·0 | 44·2 | 0·73 | 5·2 | ABERDEEN |
| PAISLEY, | 87,900 | 34 | 9 | 38 | 5 | 2 | 35 | 20·8 | 1·8 | 1 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 2 | 58·9 | 36·0 | 46·7 | 0·42 | 6·4 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, | 80,200 | 44 | 10 | 35 | 2 | 0 | 33 | 21·5 | 7·8 | 9 | 3 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 1 | 56·8 | 37·8 | 46·7 | 1·19 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 70,100 | 28 | 8 | 11 | 0 | 1 | 12 | 8·9 | 1·5 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, | 48,600 | 27 | 7 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 6 | 6·5 | 2·2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, | 44,300 | 17 | 3 | 12 | 1 | 0 | 11 | 13·0 | 2·4 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, | 38,200 | 13 | 4 | 12 | 2 | 2 | 12 | 16·4 | 0·0 | 3 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, | 41,100 | 17 | 6 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 6·4 | 0·0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, | 41,100 | 24 | 6 | 10 | 1 | 4 | 13 | 16·5 | 3·8 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, | 37,400 | 10 | 6 | 10 | 3 | 3 | 10 | 14·0 | 1·4 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, | 37,500 | 20 | 3 | 12 | 1 | 1 | 12 | 16·7 | 1·4 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, | 36,000 | 16 | 6 | 6 | 1 | 0 | 5 | 7·3 | 0·0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | .. | FALKIRK |
| PERTH, | 33,700 | 10 | 8 | 15 | 3 | 0 | 12 | 18·6 | 0·0 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | *1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 59·0 | 38·0 | 45·2 | 0·33 | 3·1 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** Apr. 14, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 1099 | 584 | 726 | 70 | 49 | 705 | 15·3 | 1·3 | 100 | 259 | 0 | 23 | 3 | 14 | 10 | 10 | *1 | 9 | 118 | 27 | 62·0 | 34·0 | 45·6 | 0·52 | ... | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| Apr. 7, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 968 | 339 | 769 | 74 | 45 | 740 | 16·0 | 1·3 | 121 | 262 | 0 | 25 | 3 | 22 | 6 | 5 | *2 | 10 | 146 | 20 | 56·2 | 32·0 | 44·1 | 0·60 | ... | |
| Apr. 16, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 904 | 333 | 726 | 92 | 37 | 671 | 14·6 | 0·6 | 100 | 232 | 0 | 5 | 1 | 16 | 3 | 3 | *2 | 13 | 142 | 34 | 60·0 | 33·0 | 46·1 | 0·46 | ... | |

*Note:*—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

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# WEEKLY RETURN

OF

# Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

*By Authority of the Registrar-General*

**No. 16. Week ending SATURDAY, APRIL 21, 1928. Price 2d. net.**

During the week ending 21st April 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 1091 living children, the deaths of 811 persons, and 301 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 759. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 23·6 per thousand, the marriage-rate 6·5, and the death-rate (corrected) 16·4.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·2 less than in the previous week, and 0·7 below the average. The marriage-rate is 6·1 less than in the previous week, and 2·0 below the average. The death-rate is 1·1 more than in the previous week, and 0·8 above the average.

The weekly death-rate in the individual towns averaged 15·2, and varied from 19·6 in Greenock, 18·9 in Coatbridge and 18·2 in Glasgow, to 7·8 in Perth and 9·8 in Ayr. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Falkirk (17·4), in Dundee (17·3), in Kilmarnock (16·8), in Paisley (16·7), and in Hamilton (16·5). In Edinburgh this rate was 13·6, and in Aberdeen 14·2.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 79, and are 19 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·7 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, 26 from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 28 from whooping-cough, 13 from diphtheria, and 10 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 14 more, from measles and from diphtheria each 3 more, while those from the diarrhœas of childhood number the same, and those from scarlet fever are 1 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 10, and are 1 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 118, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·6 per thousand. This death-rate is the same as in the previous week, but is 0·4 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 98, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 250. The former are 2 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 9 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 24, and are 3 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 40°·3, being 5°·3 below that for the previous week, and 9°·9 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·29 inch.

*NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the three preceding years.*

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING APRIL 21, 1928.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (See Note.) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Temperature. Minimum. | Temperature. Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, . . . . | 1,060,500 | 553 | 136 | 393 | 36 | 12 | 369 | 18·2 | 1·4 | 46 | 115 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 16 | 3 | 4 | *3 | 8 | 73 | 10 | 50·6 | 32·8 | 40·7 | 0·12 | 46·3 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, . . . | 426,300 | 133 | 73 | 139 | 33 | 5 | 111 | 13·6 | 1·0 | 5 | 48 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | *2 | 0 | 15 | 1 | 48·0 | 31·0 | 38·9 | 0·07 | 47·7 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, . . . . . | 174,800 | 79 | 11 | 61 | 3 | 0 | 58 | 17·3 | 2·7 | 10 | 17 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 2 | 50·5 | 30·1 | 39·4 | 0·15 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, . . . . | 158,500 | 72 | 19 | 47 | 9 | 5 | 43 | 14·2 | 1·6 | 8 | 15 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 1 | 48·0 | 29·0 | 39·0 | 1·52 | 47·3 | ABERDEEN |
| PAISLEY, . . . . . | 87,900 | 39 | 7 | 27 | 2 | 3 | 28 | 16·7 | 4·2 | 9 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 54·0 | 32·0 | 42·2 | 0·04 | 48·7 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, . . . . | 80,200 | 32 | 11 | 30 | 0 | 0 | 30 | 19·6 | 5·9 | 5 | 9 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 49·9 | 32·2 | 40·3 | 0·10 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, . . . . | 70,100 | 22 | 8 | 18 | 0 | 3 | 21 | 15·7 | 3·0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, . . . | 48,600 | 23 | 1 | 11 | 0 | 4 | 15 | 16·1 | 0·0 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, . . . | 44,300 | 26 | 6 | 15 | 0 | 1 | 16 | 18·9 | 1·2 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, . . | 38,200 | 17 | 4 | 9 | 2 | 4 | 11 | 15·1 | 2·7 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, . . . . | 41,100 | 13 | 4 | 8 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 10·2 | 0·0 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, . . . . | 41,100 | 21 | 8 | 13 | 0 | 0 | 13 | 16·5 | 3·8 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, . . . | 37,400 | 9 | 4 | 13 | 1 | 0 | 12 | 16·8 | 2·8 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, . . . . . | 37,500 | 18 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 9·8 | 0·0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, . . . . . | 36,000 | 14 | 1 | 13 | 1 | 0 | 12 | 17·4 | 1·5 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | FALKIRK. |
| PERTH, . . . . . | 33,700 | 20 | 6 | 8 | 3 | 0 | 5 | 7·8 | 0·0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 53·0 | 32·0 | 41·3 | 0·02 | 49·4 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** Apr. 21, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 1091 | 301 | 811 | 91 | 39 | 759 | 16·4 | 1·7 | 98 | 250 | 0 | 26 | 2 | 28 | 13 | 10 | *5 | 10 | 118 | 24 | 54·0 | 29·0 | 40·3 | 0·29 | ... | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| Apr. 14, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 1099 | 584 | 726 | 70 | 49 | 705 | 15·3 | 1·3 | 100 | 259 | 0 | 23 | 3 | 14 | 10 | 10 | *1 | 9 | 118 | 27 | 62·0 | 34·0 | 45·6 | 0·52 | ... | |
| Apr. 23, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 1101 | 516 | 717 | 85 | 41 | 673 | 14·6 | 0·8 | 101 | 238 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 14 | 4 | 11 | *1 | 8 | 147 | 30 | 66·0 | 39·0 | 50·2 | 0·33 | ... | |

*Note*:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

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# Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

*By Authority of the Registrar-General*

**No. 17. Week ending SATURDAY, APRIL 28, 1928. Price 2d. net.**

During the week ending 28th April 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 1045 living children, the deaths of 778 persons, and 397 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 756. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 22·6 per thousand, the marriage-rate 8·6, and the death-rate (corrected) 16·4.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·0 less than in the previous week, and 2·0 below the average. The marriage-rate is 2·1 more than in the previous week, but 2·2 below the average. The death-rate is the same as in the previous week, but 1·9 above the average.

The weekly death rate in the individual towns averaged 17·0, and varied from 22·3 in Ayr and 21·8 in Dundee to 11·0 in Dunfermline and 13·1 in Falkirk. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Perth (21·7), in Motherwell and Wishaw (20·9), in Hamilton (20·4), and in Paisley (19·6). In Glasgow the rate was 15·0, in Edinburgh 16·8, and in Aberdeen 15·2.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 61, and are 18 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·3 per thousand. They include 1 from enteric fever, 21 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 25 from whooping-cough, 5 from diphtheria, and 8 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from enteric fever are 1 more, but those from scarlet fever are 1 fewer, from the diarrhœas of childhood 2 fewer, from whooping-cough 3 fewer, from measles 5 fewer, and from diphtheria 8 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 7, and are 3 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 135, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·9 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·3 more than in the previous week, and is 0·5 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 126, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 259. The former are 28 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 9 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 45, and are 21 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 50°·1, being 9°·8 above that for the previous week, and 11°·2 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·56 inch.

*NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the three preceding years.*

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING APRIL 28, 1928

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (*See Note.*) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Temperature. Minimum. | Temperature. Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, . . . . | 1,060,500 | 472 | 179 | 324 | 28 | 9 | 305 | 15·0 | 0·9 | 53 | 97 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 10 | 1 | 4 | *2 | 2 | 58 | 18 | 61·5 | 37·4 | 51·0 | 0·06 | 25·6 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, . . . | 426,300 | 153 | 74 | 141 | 11 | 7 | 137 | 16·8 | 1·5 | 23 | 52 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 23 | 7 | 58·0 | 38·0 | 48·4 | 0·01 | 19·0 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, . . . . . | 174,800 | 60 | 26 | 74 | 1 | 0 | 73 | 21·8 | 2·1 | 14 | 24 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 6 | 59·3 | 39·0 | 49·8 | 0·02 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, . . . . | 158,500 | 77 | 28 | 48 | 9 | 7 | 46 | 15·2 | 2·0 | 8 | 14 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 3 | 56·0 | 37·0 | 47·7 | 0·17 | 25·1 | ABERDEEN |
| PAISLEY, . . . . . | 87,900 | 39 | 11 | 33 | 1 | 1 | 33 | 19·6 | 1·2 | 4 | 12 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 1 | 63·2 | 36·6 | 51·8 | 0·10 | 29·3 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, . . . . | 80,200 | 45 | 12 | 21 | 0 | 1 | 22 | 14·3 | 2·6 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 1 | 63·9 | 36·0 | 50·8 | 0·20 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, . . . . | 70,100 | 34 | 8 | 24 | 0 | 4 | 28 | 20·9 | 3·7 | 3 | 12 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, . . . | 48,600 | 17 | 4 | 8 | 0 | 6 | 14 | 15·1 | 0·0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, . . . | 44,300 | 33 | 4 | 11 | 0 | 1 | 12 | 14·2 | 1·2 | 2 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, . . | 38,200 | 14 | 5 | 12 | 4 | 0 | 8 | 11·0 | 0·0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, . . . . | 41,100 | 9 | 5 | 12 | 0 | 1 | 13 | 16·5 | 0·0 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, . . . . | 41,100 | 18 | 7 | 14 | 1 | 3 | 16 | 20·4 | 3·8 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, . . . | 37,400 | 11 | 13 | 11 | 2 | 1 | 10 | 14·0 | 0·0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, . . . . . | 37,500 | 18 | 12 | 17 | 2 | 1 | 16 | 22·3 | 2·8 | 5 | 7 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, . . . . . | 36,000 | 20 | 5 | 11 | 3 | 1 | 9 | 13·1 | 0·0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | FALKIRK. |
| PERTH, . . . . . | 33,700 | 25 | 4 | 17 | 3 | 0 | 14 | 21·7 | 0·0 | 3 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 62·0 | 35·0 | 51·3 | 0·00 | 26·7 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** Apr. 28, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 1045 | 397 | 778 | 65 | 43 | 756 | 16·4 | 1·3 | 126 | 259 | 1 | 21 | 1 | 25 | 5 | 8 | *2 | 7 | 135 | 45 | 63·9 | 35·0 | 50·1 | 0·08 | ... | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| Apr. 21, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 1091 | 301 | 810 | 91 | 39 | 758 | 16·4 | 1·7 | 98 | 250 | 0 | 26 | 2 | 28 | 13 | 10 | *5 | 10 | 118 | 24 | 54·0 | 29·0 | 40·3 | 0·29 | ... | |
| Apr. 30, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 1004 | 396 | 661 | 64 | 36 | 633 | 13·8 | 0·7 | 86 | 210 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 15 | 4 | 9 | *3 | 9 | 102 | 30 | 56·1 | 25·0 | 38·9 | 0·55 | ... | |

*Note*:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

* Cerebro-spinal meningitis.

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# WEEKLY RETURN

OF

# Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

# Principal Towns of Scotland

*By Authority of the Registrar-General*

No. 18. Week ending SATURDAY, MAY 5, 1928. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 5th May 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 1080 living children, the deaths of 776 persons, and 460 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 725. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 23·4 per thousand, the marriage-rate 10·0, and the death-rate (corrected) 16·7.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·8 more than in the previous week, and 0·3 above the average. The marriage-rate is 1·4 more than in the previous week, and 2·8 above the average. The death-rate is 0·3 more than in the previous week, and 2·2 above the average.

The weekly death-rate in the individual towns averaged 15·2, and varied from 24·8 in Coatbridge and 24·2 in Hamilton, to 2·8 in Ayr and 7·3 in Falkirk. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Kirkcaldy (21·6), in Greenock (20·2), in Edinburgh (18·5) and in Perth (17·1). In Glasgow the rate was 14·9, in Dundee 15·6, and in Aberdeen 14·8.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 78, and are 17 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·7 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, 24 from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 38 from whooping-cough, 5 from diphtheria, and 9 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 13 more, from measles 3 more, from scarlet fever 1 more, and from the diarrhœas of childhood 1 more, while those from diphtheria number the same.

Deaths from influenza numbered 4, and are 3 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 129, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·8 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 less than in the previous week, but is 0·3 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 108, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 238. The former are 18 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 21 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 23, and are 22 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 49°·9, being 0°·2 below that for the previous week, but 3°·5 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·12 inch.

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING MAY 5, 1928.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (See Note.) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Minimum. | Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, . . . . | 1,060,500 | 497 | 230 | 321 | 31 | 13 | 303 | 14·9 | 1·4 | 41 | 84 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 19 | 1 | 4 | *2 | 2 | 61 | 9 | 64·5 | 42·1 | 51·6 | 0·03 | 32·0 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, . . . | 426,300 | 177 | 79 | 169 | 18 | 0 | 151 | 18·5 | 1·7 | 17 | 64 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | *2 | 1 | 22 | 7 | 56·0 | 39·0 | 45·1 | 0·07 | 24·6 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, . . . . . | 174,800 | 77 | 20 | 56 | 5 | 1 | 52 | 15·6 | 1·5 | 7 | 19 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 2 | 59·3 | 39·0 | 49·1 | 0·14 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, . . . . | 158,500 | 70 | 28 | 52 | 9 | 2 | 45 | 14·8 | 3·0 | 9 | 11 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 1 | 53·0 | 40·0 | 47·4 | 0·24 | 38·8 | ABERDEEN |
| PAISLEY, . . . . . | 87,900 | 42 | 15 | 28 | 3 | 1 | 26 | 15·5 | 1·2 | 4 | 12 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 1 | 66 0 | 41·9 | 52·0 | 0·10 | 31·8 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, . . . . | 80,200 | 31 | 12 | 32 | 2 | 1 | 31 | 20·2 | 3·9 | 8 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 66·3 | 40·7 | 52·0 | 0·13 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, . . . . | 70,100 | 23 | 5 | 11 | 1 | 4 | 14 | 10·4 | 2·2 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, . . . | 48,600 | 27 | 9 | 8 | 0 | 5 | 13 | 14·0 | 0·0 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | .. | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, . . . | 44,300 | 21 | 10 | 20 | 0 | 1 | 21 | 24·8 | 3·5 | 5 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, . . | 38,200 | 14 | 8 | 9 | 2 | 0 | 7 | 9·6 | 0·0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, . . . . | 41,100 | 16 | 9 | 13 | 0 | 4 | 17 | 21·6 | 0·0 | 5 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, . . . . | 41,100 | 23 | 6 | 19 | 1 | 1 | 19 | 24·2 | 7·6 | 3 | 5 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, . . . | 37,400 | 12 | 10 | 11 | 3 | 0 | 8 | 11·2 | 1·4 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, . . . . . | 37,500 | 23 | 8 | 5 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 2·8 | 0·0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, . . . . . | 36,000 | 16 | 5 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 7·3 | 0·0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | FALKIRK |
| PERTH, . . . . . | 33,700 | 11 | 6 | 18 | 8 | 1 | 11 | 17·1 | 0·0 | 2 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 65·0 | 35·0 | 52·4 | 0·10 | 34·4 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** May 5, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 1080 | 460 | 776 | 86 | 35 | 725 | 16·7 | 1·7 | 108 | 238 | 0 | 24 | 2 | 38 | 5 | 9 | *4 | 4 | 129 | 23 | 66·3 | 35·0 | 49·9 | 0·12 | ... | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| Apr. 28, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 1045 | 397 | 778 | 65 | 43 | 756 | 16·4 | 1·3 | 126 | 259 | 1 | 21 | 1 | 25 | 5 | 8 | *2 | 7 | 135 | 45 | 63·9 | 35·0 | 50·1 | 0·08 | ... | |
| May 7, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 1011 | 464 | 689 | 58 | 40 | 671 | 14·6 | 0·7 | 102 | 215 | 1 | 5 | 3 | 15 | 1 | 8 | *4 | 10 | 120 | 35 | 68·3 | 28·9 | 46·4 | 1·44 | ... | |

*Note*:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

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# WEEKLY RETURN

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# Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

*By Authority of the Registrar-General*

No. 19. Week ending SATURDAY, MAY 12, 1928. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 12th May 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 1050 living children, the deaths of 731 persons, and 124 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 690. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 22·7 per thousand, the marriage-rate 2·7, and the death-rate (corrected) 14·9.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·7 less than in the previous week, and 2·1 below the average. The marriage-rate is 7·3 less than in the previous week, but is the same as the average. The death-rate is 0·8 less than in the previous week, but 1·5 above the average.

The weekly death-rate in the individual towns averaged 14·0, and varied from 17·9 in Motherwell and Wishaw, 17·8 in Kirkcaldy and 16·5 in Aberdeen, to 7·3 in Falkirk, 10·1 in Paisley and 10·8 in Clydebank. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Greenock (15·6), and in Glasgow (15·5). In Edinburgh this rate was 14·8 and in Dundee 15·0.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 55, and are 23 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·2 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, 22 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 23 from whooping-cough, 1 from diphtheria, and 8 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from scarlet fever and from the diarrhœas of childhood each number 1 fewer, from measles 2 fewer, from diphtheria 4 fewer and from whooping-cough 15 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 5, and are 1 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 99, and equalled an annual death rate from these causes of 2·1 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·7 less than in the previous week, and is 0·1 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 104, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 221. The former are 4 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 17 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 99, and are 30 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 47°·8, being 2°·1 below that for the previous week, but 1°·1 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·05 inch.

*NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the three preceding years.*

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING MAY 12, 1928.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, | 1,060,500 | 486 | 70 | 342 | 35 | 7 | 314 | 15·5 | 1·3 | 48 | 88 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 15 | 1 | 3 | *1 | 3 | 48 | 13 | 67·7 | 36·0 | 49·5 | 0·01 | 40·1 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, | 426,300 | 127 | 19 | 134 | 19 | 6 | 121 | 14·8 | 1·0 | 12 | 41 | 0 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 20 | 7 | 60·0 | 35·0 | 46·0 | 0·04 | 29·8 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, | 174,800 | 94 | 8 | 50 | 2 | 2 | 50 | 15·0 | 0·0 | 6 | 16 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 1 | 59·0 | 34·0 | 46·4 | 0·00 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, | 158,500 | 61 | 12 | 49 | 6 | 7 | 50 | 16·5 | 1·6 | 9 | 21 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | *1 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 56·0 | 35·0 | 45·6 | 0·25 | 21·6 | ABERDEEN |
| PAISLEY, | 87,900 | 37 | 0 | 21 | 4 | 0 | 17 | 10·1 | 1·8 | 5 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 72·2 | 34·0 | 50·6 | 0·03 | 43·7 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, | 80,200 | 32 | 2 | 26 | 2 | 0 | 24 | 15·6 | 2·0 | 8 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 67·1 | 33·2 | 49·3 | 0·00 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 70,100 | 48 | 0 | 18 | 0 | 6 | 24 | 17·9 | 3·7 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, | 48,600 | 35 | 3 | 6 | 0 | 4 | 10 | 10·8 | 0·0 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, | 44,300 | 26 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 2 | 13 | 15·3 | 0·0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, | 38,200 | 15 | 2 | 11 | 1 | 1 | 11 | 15·1 | 1·4 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, | 41,100 | 25 | 2 | 12 | 1 | 3 | 14 | 17·8 | 0·0 | 3 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, | 41,100 | 10 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 12·7 | 2·5 | 3 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, | 37,400 | 11 | 1 | 11 | 1 | 0 | 10 | 14·0 | 1·4 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, | 37,500 | 13 | 1 | 13 | 5 | 0 | 8 | 11·2 | 1·4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, | 36,000 | 17 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 7·3 | 0·0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | .. | FALKIRK |
| PERTH, | 33,700 | 13 | 3 | 12 | 3 | 0 | 9 | 14·0 | 0·0 | 3 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 67·0 | 30·0 | 47·1 | 0·05 | 36·8 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** May 12, 1928, | **2,416,200** | **1050** | **124** | **731** | **79** | **38** | **690** | **14·9** | **1·2** | **104** | **221** | **0** | **22** | **1** | **23** | **1** | **8** | ***2** | **5** | **99** | **23** | **72·2** | **30·0** | **47·8** | **0·05** | ... | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| May 5, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 1080 | 460 | 776 | 86 | 35 | 725 | 15·7 | 1·7 | 108 | 238 | 0 | 24 | 2 | 38 | 5 | 9 | *4 | 4 | 129 | 23 | 66·3 | 35·0 | 49·9 | 0·12 | ... | |
| May 14, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 1070 | 136 | 616 | 72 | 32 | 576 | 12·5 | 0·6 | 70 | 196 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 14 | 2 | 7 | *4 | 7 | 99 | 24 | 77·3 | 28·0 | 46·7 | 0·40 | ... | |

*Note:*—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

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# WEEKLY RETURN

OF

# Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

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**No. 20. Week ending SATURDAY, MAY 19, 1928. Price 2d. net.**

During the week ending 19th May 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 1079 living children, the deaths of 669 persons, and 125 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 639. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 23·3 per thousand, the marriage rate 2·7, and the death-rate (corrected) 13·8.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·6 more than in the previous week, and 0·8 above the average. The marriage-rate is the same as in the previous week, but 0·1 above the average. The death-rate is 1·1 less than in the previous week, but the same as the average.

The weekly death-rate in the individual towns averaged 12·0, and varied from 18·6 in Perth and 17·9 in Dundee, to 3·8 in Hamilton and 6·4 in Kirkcaldy. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Aberdeen (16·2), in Glasgow (14·7), in Greenock (13·7), and in Edinburgh (13·4).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 60, and are 5 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·3 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, 17 from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 28 from whooping-cough, 6 from diphtheria, and 7 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 5 more, from diphtheria 5 more, and from scarlet fever 1 more, but those from the diarrhœas of childhood are 1 fewer, and from measles 5 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 6, and are 1 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 97, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·1 per thousand. This death-rate is the same as in the previous week, but is 0·1 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 86, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 206. The former are 18 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 15 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 27, and are 4 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 48°·7, being 0°·9 above that for the previous week, but 1°·0 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·68 inch.

*NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the three preceding years.*

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING MAY 19, 1928.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (See Note.) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Temperature. Minimum. | Temperature. Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, | 1,060,500 | 518 | 55 | 317 | 29 | 10 | 298 | 14·7 | 1·5 | 45 | 85 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 19 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 3 | 55 | 16 | 60·4 | 41·2 | 49·8 | 0·59 | 34·8 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, | 426,300 | 146 | 19 | 121 | 16 | 4 | 109 | 13·4 | 0·6 | 10 | 43 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 10 | 6 | 60·0 | 39·0 | 46·9 | 0·81 | 25·4 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, | 174,800 | 53 | 6 | 63 | 3 | 0 | 60 | 17·9 | 2·1 | 10 | 19 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 3 | 61·8 | 38·6 | 47·9 | 0·76 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, | 158,500 | 61 | 16 | 48 | 8 | 9 | 49 | 16·2 | 1·3 | 6 | 21 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 58·0 | 38·0 | 46·5 | 0·89 | 26·0 | ABERDEEN |
| PAISLEY, | 87,900 | 51 | 2 | 20 | 4 | 0 | 16 | 9·5 | 1·8 | 1 | 8 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 64·9 | 40·3 | 50·8 | 0·59 | 34·9 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, | 80,200 | 40 | 7 | 19 | 0 | 2 | 21 | 13·7 | 1·3 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 59·9 | 41·2 | 49·4 | 0·37 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 70,100 | 37 | 4 | 13 | 0 | 1 | 14 | 10·4 | 1·5 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | .. | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, | 48,600 | 31 | 1 | 6 | 1 | 6 | 11 | 11·8 | 0·0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, | 44,300 | 16 | 3 | 8 | 0 | 3 | 11 | 13·0 | 0·0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, | 38,200 | 12 | 1 | 11 | 2 | 0 | 9 | 12·3 | 0·0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, | 41,100 | 19 | 2 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 6·4 | 0·0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, | 41,100 | 23 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3·8 | 1·3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, | 37,400 | 28 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 8 | 11·2 | 4·2 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, | 37,500 | 14 | 3 | 8 | 2 | 1 | 7 | 9·8 | 1·4 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, | 36,000 | 18 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 8·7 | 0·0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | FALKIRK |
| PERTH, | 33,700 | 12 | 2 | 15 | 3 | 0 | 12 | 18·6 | 1·6 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 64·0 | 40·0 | 49·9 | 0·72 | 30·3 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** May 19, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 1079 | 125 | 669 | 69 | 39 | 639 | 13·8 | 1·3 | 86 | 206 | 0 | 17 | 2 | 28 | 6 | 7 | 0 | 6 | 97 | 27 | 64·9 | 38·0 | 48·7 | 0·68 | ... | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| May 12, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 1050 | 124 | 731 | 79 | 38 | 690 | 14·9 | 1·2 | 104 | 221 | 0 | 22 | 1 | 23 | 1 | 8 | *2 | 5 | 99 | 23 | 72·2 | 30·0 | 47·8 | 0·05 | ... | |
| May 21, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 1056 | 121 | 651 | 73 | 30 | 608 | 13·2 | 0·8 | 89 | 186 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 18 | 4 | 7 | *1 | 5 | 103 | 33 | 64·0 | 33·0 | 49·7 | 0·52 | ... | |

*Note*:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

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# WEEKLY RETURN

OF

# Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

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No. 21. Week ending SATURDAY, MAY 26, 1928. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 26th May 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 953 living children, the deaths of 646 persons, and 137 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 613. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·6 per thousand, the marriage rate 3·0, and the death-rate (corrected) 13·3.

The birth-rate of the week is 2·7 less than in the previous week, and 2·1 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·3 more than in the previous week, and 0·4 above the average. The death-rate is 0·5 less than in the previous week, but 0·6 above the average.

The weekly death rate in the individual towns averaged 12·8, and varied from 18·6 in Perth and 17·8 in Kirkcaldy, to 7·3 in Falkirk and 8·2 in Dunfermline. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Aberdeen (16·5), in Edinburgh (15·5), in Paisley (14·3), in Greenock (13·7), and in Coatbridge (13·0). In Glasgow the rate was 12·6, and in Dundee 10·8.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 47, and are 13 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·0 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, 18 from measles, none from scarlet fever, 21 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, and 5 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from measles are 1 more, but those from the diarrhœas of childhood are 2 fewer, from diphtheria 3 fewer, and from whooping-cough 7 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 5, and are 1 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 100, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·2 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 more than in the previous week, and is 0·2 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 80, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 213. The former are 6 fewer than in the previous week, but the latter are 7 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 31, and are 4 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 49°·3, being 0°·6 above that for the previous week, but 0°·6 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·47 inch.

*NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the three preceding years.*

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING MAY 26, 1928.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (See Note.) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Temperature. Minimum. | Temperature. Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, . . . . | 1,060,500 | 437 | 63 | 270 | 24 | 10 | 256 | 12·6 | 1·0 | 28 | 79 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 9 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 51 | 16 | 66·3 | 40·0 | 50·9 | 0·68 | 27·6 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, . . . | 426,300 | 137 | 38 | 141 | 15 | 0 | 126 | 15·5 | 0·5 | 16 | 54 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 21 | 4 | 62·0 | 40·0 | 48·0 | 0·20 | 45·2 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, . . . . . | 174,800 | 67 | 11 | 41 | 5 | 0 | 36 | 10·8 | 0·6 | 4 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 4 | 63·7 | 36·6 | 47·6 | 0·24 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, . . . . | 158,500 | 66 | 13 | 48 | 12 | 14 | 50 | 16·5 | 2·3 | 9 | 22 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 56·0 | 39·0 | 46·8 | 0·07 | 31·3 | ABERDEEN |
| PAISLEY, . . . . . | 87,900 | 38 | 4 | 24 | 1 | 1 | 24 | 14·3 | 0·6 | 4 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 1 | 67·5 | 36·8 | 51·1 | 0·72 | 34·4 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, . . . . | 80,200 | 34 | 2 | 22 | 2 | 1 | 21 | 13·7 | 0·7 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 64·6 | 38·2 | 50·8 | 0·98 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, . . . . | 70,100 | 39 | 2 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 17 | 12·7 | 3·0 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, . . . | 48,600 | 12 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 3 | 12 | 12·9 | 0·0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, . . . | 44,300 | 18 | 1 | 12 | 1 | 0 | 11 | 13·0 | 1·2 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, . . | 38,200 | 14 | 1 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 8·2 | 1·4 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, . . . . | 41,100 | 12 | 1 | 13 | 1 | 2 | 14 | 17·8 | 1·3 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, . . . . | 41,100 | 19 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 8 | 10·2 | 1·3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, . . . | 37,400 | 13 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 12·6 | 2·8 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, . . . . . | 37,500 | 14 | 0 | 7 | 2 | 1 | 6 | 8·4 | 1·4 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, . . . . . | 36,000 | 17 | 0 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 7·3 | 0·0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | FALKIRK. |
| PERTH, . . . . . | 33,700 | 16 | 0 | 14 | 3 | 1 | 12 | 18·6 | 1·6 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 68·0 | 37·0 | 49·9 | 0·39 | 46·1 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** May 26, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 953 | 137 | 646 | 69 | 36 | 613 | 13·3 | 1·0 | 80 | 213 | 0 | 18 | 0 | 21 | 3 | 5 | 0 | 5 | 100 | 31 | 68·0 | 36·6 | 49·3 | 0·47 | ... | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| May 19, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 1079 | 125 | 669 | 69 | 39 | 639 | 13·8 | 1·3 | 86 | 206 | 0 | 17 | 2 | 28 | 6 | 7 | 0 | 6 | 97 | 27 | 64·9 | 38·0 | 48·7 | 0·68 | ... | |
| May 28, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 939 | 123 | 600 | 62 | 28 | 566 | 12·8 | 0·7 | 77 | 200 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 17 | 1 | 10 | *2 | 3 | 91 | 18 | 66·2 | 32·0 | 49·9 | 0·17 | ... | |

*Note*:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

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# Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

*By Authority of the Registrar-General*

**No. 22. Week ending SATURDAY, JUNE 2, 1928. Price 2d. net.**

During the week ending 2nd June 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 1039 living children, the deaths of 657 persons, and 192 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 623. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 22·5 per thousand, the marriage rate 4·2, and the death-rate (corrected) 13·5.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·9 more than in the previous week, but 0·8 below the average. The marriage-rate is 1·2 more than in the previous week, but 4·4 below the average. The death-rate is 0·2 more than in the previous week, and 0·7 above the average.

The weekly death-rate in the individual towns averaged 13·6, and varied from 20·9 in Ayr and 18·6 in Perth, to 8·2 in Dunfermline and 8·9 in Hamilton. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Kirkcaldy (16·5), in Dundee (15·6), in Kilmarnock (15·4), in Falkirk (14·5), in Paisley (14·3), and in Aberdeen (14·2). In Glasgow the rate was 13·7, and in Edinburgh 12·5.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 47, and are the same as in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·0 per thousand. They include 1 from enteric fever, 19 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 16 from whooping-cough, 4 from diphtheria, and 6 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from enteric fever, from measles, from scarlet fever, from diphtheria and from the diarrhœas of childhood are each 1 more, but those from whooping-cough are 5 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 10, and are 5 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 84, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·8 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·4 less than in the previous week, but is 0·1 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 78, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 198. The former are 2 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 15 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 37, and are 6 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 54°·1, being 4°·8 above that for the previous week, and 3°·4 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·45 inch.

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING JUNE 2, 1928.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (See Note.) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Temperature. Minimum. | Temperature. Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, . . . . | 1,060,500 | 501 | 83 | 290 | 24 | 11 | 277 | 13·7 | 0·7 | 29 | 78 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 9 | 0 | 2 | *2 | 4 | 39 | 16 | 70·4 | 44·0 | 56·3 | 0·77 | 56·4 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, . . . | 426,300 | 163 | 25 | 111 | 12 | 3 | 102 | 12·5 | 0·9 | 15 | 40 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 13 | 10 | 68·0 | 41·0 | 51·8 | 0·35 | 38·7 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, . . . . . | 174,800 | 76 | 13 | 56 | 4 | 0 | 52 | 15·6 | 0·6 | 7 | 16 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 4 | 72·8 | 41·7 | 52·3 | 0·29 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, . . . . | 158,500 | 63 | 28 | 53 | 13 | 3 | 43 | 14·2 | 2·0 | 10 | 14 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 64·0 | 42·0 | 50·2 | 0·20 | 37·9 | ABERDEEN |
| PAISLEY, . . . . . | 87,900 | 31 | 11 | 27 | 3 | 0 | 24 | 14·3 | 0·6 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 74·0 | 42·6 | 57·3 | 0·60 | 54·5 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, . . . . | 80,200 | 38 | 5 | 18 | 0 | 0 | 18 | 11·7 | 1·3 | 2 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 69·0 | 45·0 | 56·6 | 0·55 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, . . . . | 70,100 | 26 | 5 | 12 | 1 | 3 | 14 | 10·4 | 3·7 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, . . . | 48,600 | 23 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 7 | 10 | 10·8 | 0·0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, . . . | 44,300 | 27 | 2 | 7 | 0 | 2 | 9 | 10·6 | 1·2 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, . . | 38,200 | 9 | 4 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 8·2 | 0·0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, . . . . | 41,100 | 12 | 1 | 11 | 0 | 2 | 13 | 16·5 | 0·0 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, . . . . | 41,100 | 21 | 2 | 8 | 1 | 0 | 7 | 8·9 | 0·0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, . . . | 37,400 | 13 | 6 | 12 | 2 | 1 | 11 | 15·4 | 2·8 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, . . . . . | 37,500 | 13 | 4 | 17 | 4 | 2 | 15 | 20·9 | 8·4 | 4 | 3 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, . . . . . | 36,000 | 16 | 2 | 10 | 1 | 1 | 10 | 14·5 | 0·0 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | FALKIRK |
| PERTH, . . . . . | 33,700 | 7 | 1 | 16 | 4 | 0 | 12 | 18·6 | 0·0 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 75·0 | 38·0 | 54·3 | 0·39 | 42·7 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** June 2, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 1039 | 192 | 657 | 69 | 35 | 623 | 13·5 | 1·0 | 78 | 198 | 1 | 19 | 1 | 16 | 4 | 6 | *2 | 10 | 84 | 37 | 75·0 | 38·0 | 54·1 | 0·45 | ... | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| May 26, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 953 | 137 | 646 | 69 | 36 | 613 | 13·3 | 1·0 | 80 | 213 | 0 | 18 | 0 | 21 | 3 | 5 | 0 | 5 | 100 | 31 | 68·0 | 36·6 | 49·3 | 0·47 | ... | |
| June 4, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 1036 | 337 | 624 | 51 | 28 | 601 | 13·1 | 0·7 | 83 | 202 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 14 | 5 | 7 | *1 | 4 | 85 | 31 | 63·2 | 36·0 | 50·7 | 0·52 | ... | |

*Note:*—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

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# WEEKLY RETURN

OF

# Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

*By Authority of the Registrar-General*

**No. 23. Week ending SATURDAY, JUNE 9, 1928. Price 2d. net.**

During the week ending 9th June 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 991 living children, the deaths of 645 persons, and 669 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 623. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 21·4 per thousand, the marriage-rate 14·5, and the death-rate (corrected) 13·5.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·1 less than in the previous week, and 2·0 below the average. The marriage-rate is 10·3 more than in the previous week, and 1·9 above the average. The death-rate is the same as in the previous week, but 0·7 above the average.

The weekly death-rate in the individual towns averaged 12·9, and varied from 19·1 in Hamilton and 17·8 in Paisley, to 5·5 in Dunfermline, 7·5 in Clydebank, and 7·6 in Kirkcaldy. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Falkirk (16·0), in Perth (15·5), and in Dundee (15·3). In Glasgow the rate was 14·1, in Edinburgh 12·3, and in Aberdeen 13·5.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 39, and are 8 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·8 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, 6 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 16 from whooping-cough, 4 from diphtheria, and 12 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from the diarrhœas of childhood are 6 more, but those from scarlet fever, from whooping-cough, and from diphtheria each number the same, while those from enteric fever are 1 fewer, and from measles 13 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 2, and are 8 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 104, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·3 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·5 more than in the previous week, and is 0·9 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 81, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 217. The former are 3 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 19 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 38, and are 1 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 51°·0, being 3°·1 below that for the previous week, but 1°·7 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1·96 inch.

*NOTE. The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the three preceding years.*

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING JUNE 9, 1928.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (*See Note.*) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Temperature. Minimum. | Temperature. Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, . . . . | 1,060,500 | 455 | 293 | 301 | 29 | 14 | 286 | 14·1 | 0·8 | 39 | 89 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 6 | 4 | 6 | *2 | 1 | 48 | 18 | 72·4 | 38·0 | 52·3 | 2·28 | 31·7 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, . . . | 426,300 | 149 | 152 | 107 | 14 | 7 | 100 | 12·3 | 0·6 | 6 | 46 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | *2 | 0 | 14 | 5 | 70·0 | 38·0 | 49·8 | 1·82 | 33·2 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, . . . . . | 174,800 | 77 | 36 | 55 | 5 | 1 | 51 | 15·3 | 0·9 | 4 | 21 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 3 | 62·2 | 36·0 | 48·8 | 1·67 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, . . . . | 158,500 | 59 | 46 | 40 | 6 | 7 | 41 | 13·5 | 1·0 | 8 | 14 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 2 | 58·0 | 38·0 | 47·9 | 1·33 | 27·8 | ABERDEEN |
| PAISLEY, . . . . . | 87,900 | 37 | 22 | 28 | 1 | 3 | 30 | 17·8 | 1·8 | 5 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 2 | 74·5 | 36·0 | 52·5 | 2·17 | 30·5 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, . . . . | 80,200 | 45 | 10 | 20 | 0 | 1 | 21 | 13·7 | 2·0 | 8 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 72·0 | 37·7 | 55·4 | 2·31 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, . . . . | 70,100 | 29 | 25 | 11 | 1 | 1 | 11 | 8·2 | 0·0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, . . . | 48,600 | 22 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 5 | 7 | 7·5 | 0·0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, . . . | 44,300 | 17 | 10 | 10 | 0 | 1 | 11 | 13·0 | 1·2 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, . . | 38,200 | 15 | 13 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 5·5 | 0·0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, . . . . | 41,100 | 12 | 12 | 7 | 1 | 0 | 6 | 7·6 | 0·0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, . . . . | 41,100 | 30 | 7 | 13 | 0 | 2 | 15 | 19·1 | 2·5 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, . . . | 37,400 | 7 | 9 | 9 | 2 | 3 | 10 | 14·0 | 0·0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, . . . . . | 37,500 | 11 | 6 | 11 | 4 | 2 | 9 | 12·6 | 1·4 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, . . . . . | 36,000 | 10 | 8 | 12 | 1 | 0 | 11 | 16·0 | 0·0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 1 | . | ... | ... | ... | ... | FALKIRK. |
| PERTH, . . . . . | 33,700 | 16 | 15 | 13 | 3 | 0 | 10 | 15·5 | 1·6 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 73·0 | 31·0 | 50·6 | 2·11 | 32·8 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** June 9, 1928, | **2,416,200** | **991** | **669** | **645** | **70** | **48** | **623** | **13·5** | **0·8** | **81** | **217** | **0** | **6** | **1** | **16** | **4** | **12** | ***4** | **2** | **104** | **38** | **74·5** | **31·0** | **51·0** | **1·96** | ... | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| June 2, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 1039 | 192 | 657 | 69 | 35 | 623 | 13·5 | 1·0 | 78 | 198 | 1 | 19 | 1 | 16 | 4 | 6 | *2 | 10 | 84 | 37 | 75·0 | 38·0 | 54·1 | 0·45 | ... | |
| June 11, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 942 | 599 | 641 | 70 | 47 | 618 | 13·5 | 0·6 | 76 | 217 | 2 | 5 | 3 | 10 | 1 | 6 | *1 | 13 | 78 | 29 | 65·2 | 35·0 | 49·3 | 0·43 | ... | |

*Note*:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

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# WEEKLY RETURN

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IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

*By Authority of the Registrar-General*

**No. 24. Week ending SATURDAY, JUNE 16, 1928. Price 2d. net.**

During the week ending 16th June 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 1022 living children, the deaths of 578 persons, and 405 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 546. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 22·1 per thousand, the marriage-rate 8·8, and the death-rate (corrected) 11·8.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·7 more than in the previous week, but 1·0 below the average. The marriage-rate is 5·7 less than in the previous week, and 0·3 below the average. The death-rate is 1·9 less than in the previous week, and 0·7 below the average.

The weekly death-rate in the individual towns averaged 12·1, and varied from 15·7 in Motherwell and Wishaw and 15·5 in Perth, to 6·5 in Greenock and 7·1 in Coatbridge. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Hamilton (14·0), in Aberdeen and in Ayr (13·9), and in Paisley and in Falkirk (13·1). In Glasgow the death-rate was 11·8, in Edinburgh 10·7, and in Dundee 12·6.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 35, and are 4 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·8 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, 10 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 15 from whooping-cough, 1 from diphtheria, and 8 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from measles are 4 more, but those from scarlet fever number the same, those from whooping-cough are 1 fewer, from diphtheria 3 fewer, and from the diarrhœas of childhood 4 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 4, and are 2 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 70, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·5 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·8 less than in the previous week, and is 0·1 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 69, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 183. The former are 12 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 34 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 22, and are 16 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 49°·0, being 2°·0 below that for the previous week, and 4°·5 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·76 inch.

*NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the three preceding years.*

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING JUNE 16, 1928.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (See Note.) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Temperature. Minimum. | Temperature. Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, . . . . | 1,060,500 | 493 | 185 | 256 | 29 | 13 | 240 | 11·8 | 0·7 | 38 | 69 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 0 | 5 | *2 | 3 | 27 | 8 | 58·7 | 40·9 | 49·5 | 0·73 | 45·2 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, . . . | 426,300 | 144 | 73 | 104 | 20 | 3 | 87 | 10·7 | 0·6 | 7 | 32 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | *1 | 0 | 17 | 4 | 59·0 | 44·0 | 47·6 | 1·34 | 41·9 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, . . . . . | 174,800 | 65 | 27 | 42 | 2 | 2 | 42 | 12·6 | 0·3 | 7 | 17 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 1 | 58·9 | 39·4 | 48·1 | 0·70 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, . . . . | 158,500 | 62 | 37 | 41 | 3 | 4 | 42 | 13·9 | 1·6 | 3 | 17 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 2 | 56·0 | 39·0 | 47·5 | 0·31 | 47·0 | ABERDEEN |
| PAISLEY, . . . . . | 87,900 | 35 | 9 | 25 | 3 | 0 | 22 | 13·1 | 1·2 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 61·2 | 40·0 | 50·2 | 0·65 | 43·7 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, . . . . | 80,200 | 41 | 14 | 11 | 1 | 0 | 10 | 6·5 | 0·7 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 58·5 | 42·0 | 50·4 | 0·88 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, . . . . | 70,100 | 28 | 11 | 17 | 0 | 4 | 21 | 15·7 | 0·7 | 3 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, . . . | 48,600 | 18 | 6 | 6 | 0 | 4 | 10 | 10·8 | 0·0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, . . . | 44,300 | 28 | 5 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 7·1 | 0·0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, . . | 38,200 | 8 | 2 | 10 | 3 | 0 | 7 | 9·6 | 0·0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, . . . . | 41,100 | 16 | 10 | 9 | 1 | 2 | 10 | 12·7 | 0·0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, . . . . | 41,100 | 24 | 2 | 10 | 0 | 1 | 11 | 14·0 | 5·1 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, . . . | 37,400 | 16 | 8 | 8 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 12·6 | 0·0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, . . . . . | 37,500 | 17 | 7 | 13 | 3 | 0 | 10 | 13·9 | 0·0 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, . . . . . | 36,000 | 16 | 4 | 8 | 1 | 2 | 9 | 13·1 | 1·5 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | FALKIRK. |
| PERTH, . . . . . | 33,700 | 11 | 5 | 12 | 2 | 0 | 10 | 15·5 | 0·0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 61·0 | 40·0 | 49·6 | 0·69 | 43·5 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** June 16, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 1022 | 405 | 578 | 68 | 36 | 546 | 11·8 | 0·8 | 69 | 183 | 0 | 10 | 1 | 15 | 1 | 8 | *3 | 4 | 70 | 22 | 61·2 | 39·0 | 49·0 | 0·76 | ... | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| June 9, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 991 | 669 | 655 | 70 | 48 | 633 | 13·7 | 0·8 | 81 | 217 | 0 | 6 | 1 | 16 | 4 | 12 | *4 | 2 | 104 | 38 | 74·5 | 31·0 | 51·0 | 1·96 | ... | |
| June 18, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 977 | 453 | 630 | 76 | 47 | 601 | 13·1 | 0·5 | 68 | 201 | 0 | 8 | 2 | 8 | 1 | 4 | *2 | 7 | 90 | 30 | 67·0 | 37·0 | 53·5 | 1·01 | ... | |

*Note*:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

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IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

*By Authority of the Registrar-General*

**No. 25. Week ending SATURDAY, JUNE 23, 1928. Price 2d. net.**

During the week ending 23rd June 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 982 living children, the deaths of 709 persons, and 416 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 667. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 21·2 per thousand, the marriage-rate 9·0, and the death-rate (corrected) 14·4.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·9 less than in the previous week, and 2·0 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·2 more than in the previous week, but 0·3 below the average. The death-rate is 2·6 more than in the previous week, and 2·8 above the average.

The weekly death-rate in the individual towns averaged 13·6, and varied from 19·6 in Greenock, 17·1 in Perth and 16·7 in Dundee, to 6·7 in Motherwell and Wishaw and 8·7 in Falkirk. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Kilmarnock (15·4), and in Aberdeen (15·2). In Glasgow this rate was 14·8, and in Edinburgh 14·4.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 39, and are 4 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·8 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, 8 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 11 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, and 17 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from the diarrhœas of childhood are 9 more, and from diphtheria 1 more, but those from enteric fever and from scarlet fever each number the same, those from measles are 2 fewer, and those from whooping-cough 4 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 2, and are 2 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 81, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·8 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·3 more than in the previous week, and is 0·4 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 102, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 236. The former are 33 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 53 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 31, and are 9 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 52°·4, being 3°·4 above that for the previous week, and 0°·5 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1·01 inch.

*NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the three preceding years.*

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING JUNE 23, 1928.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (*See Note.*) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Temperature. Minimum. | Temperature. Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, . . . . | 1,060,500 | 472 | 212 | 329 | 43 | 14 | 300 | 14·8 | 0·8 | 51 | 92 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 6 | 1 | 9 | 0 | 2 | 43 | 14 | 63·4 | 42·5 | 52·4 | 1·10 | 34·7 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, . . . | 426,300 | 142 | 78 | 127 | 18 | 8 | 117 | 14·4 | 0·6 | 14 | 54 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | *1 | 0 | 16 | 6 | 64·0 | 39·0 | 51·9 | 1·05 | 47·5 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, . . . . . | 174,800 | 61 | 20 | 62 | 7 | 1 | 56 | 16·7 | 0·9 | 10 | 20 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 4 | 65·1 | 41·3 | 52·7 | 1·04 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, . . . . | 158,500 | 68 | 30 | 45 | 5 | 6 | 46 | 15·2 | 1·0 | 6 | 14 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 65·0 | 41·0 | 52·3 | 0·36 | 37·5 | ABERDEEN |
| PAISLEY, . . . . . | 87,900 | 34 | 9 | 20 | 2 | 2 | 20 | 11·9 | 1·2 | 4 | 13 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 64·1 | 40·9 | 52·8 | 1·41 | 40·4 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, . . . . | 80,200 | 31 | 8 | 30 | 1 | 1 | 30 | 19·6 | 1·3 | 4 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 60·5 | 42·7 | 52·1 | 1·75 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, . . . . | 70,100 | 34 | 5 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 6·7 | 0·7 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, . . . | 48,600 | 26 | 7 | 7 | 0 | 4 | 11 | 11·8 | 0·0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, . . . | 44,300 | 19 | 2 | 8 | 0 | 3 | 11 | 13·0 | 0 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, . . | 38,200 | 14 | 3 | 8 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 12·3 | 0·0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, . . . . | 41,100 | 13 | 13 | 8 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 11·4 | 0·0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, . . . . | 41,100 | 19 | 5 | 10 | 0 | 1 | 11 | 14·0 | 1 3 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, . . . | 37,400 | 19 | 3 | 11 | 1 | 1 | 11 | 15·4 | 2·8 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, . . . . . | 37,500 | 8 | 3 | 13 | 3 | 0 | 10 | 13·9 | 2·8 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, . . . . . | 36,000 | 12 | 8 | 8 | 2 | 0 | 6 | 8·7 | 1·5 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | FALKIRK. |
| PERTH, . . . . . | 33,700 | 10 | 10 | 14 | 3 | 0 | 11 | 17·1 | 0·0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 65·0 | 38·0 | 52·8 | 0·33 | 46·7 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** June 23, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 982 | 416 | 709 | 85 | 43 | 667 | 14·4 | 0·8 | 102 | 236 | 0 | 8 | 1 | 11 | 2 | 17 | *1 | 2 | 81 | 31 | 65·1 | 38·0 | 52·4 | 1·01 | ... | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| June 16, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 1022 | 405 | 578 | 68 | 36 | 546 | 11·8 | 0 8 | 69 | 183 | 0 | 10 | 1 | 15 | 1 | 8 | *3 | 4 | 70 | 22 | 61·2 | 39·0 | 49·0 | 0·76 | ... | |
| June 25, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 988 | 424 | 593 | 67 | 26 | 552 | 12·0 | 0·9 | 65 | 184 | 0 | 10 | 1 | 18 | 6 | 6 | *2 | 8 | 79 | 19 | 66·1 | 40·0 | 51·9 | 1·28 | ... | |

*Note*:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

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# WEEKLY RETURN

OF

# Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

*By Authority of the Registrar-General*

**No. 26. Week ending SATURDAY, JUNE 30, 1928. Price 2d. net.**

During the week ending 30th June 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 1,052 living children, the deaths of 579 persons, and 455 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 543. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 22·8 per thousand, the marriage-rate 9·8, and the death-rate (corrected) 11·7.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·6 more than in the previous week, but 0·1 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·8 more than in the previous week, but 2·2 below the average. The death-rate is 2·7 less than in the previous week, but 0·2 above the average.

The weekly death-rate in the individual towns averaged 12·1, and varied from 21·7 in Perth and 16·7 in Ayr, to 6·5 in Clydebank, and 6·7 in Motherwell and Wishaw. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Falkirk (14·5), in Coatbridge (14·2), in Hamilton (14·0), and in Kilmarnock (14·0). In Glasgow this rate was 11·7, in Edinburgh 13·1, in Dundee 9·0, and in Aberdeen 13·2.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 26, and are 13 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·6 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, 5 from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 10 from whooping-cough, 5 from diphtheria, and 4 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from diphtheria are 3 more, and from scarlet fever 1 more, but those from whooping-cough are 1 fewer, from measles 3 fewer, and from the diarrhœas of childhood 13 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 6, and are 4 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 62, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·3 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·5 less than in the previous week, and is 0·2 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 73, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 180. The former are 29 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 56 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 35, and are 4 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 53°·8, being 1°·4 above that for the previous week, and 0°·2 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1·21 inch.

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING JUNE 30, 1928.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (See Note.) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Temperature. Minimum. | Temperature. Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, | 1,060,500 | 456 | 219 | 245 | 21 | 14 | 238 | 11·7 | 0·6 | 35 | 74 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 40 | 14 | 61·6 | 45·5 | 53·5 | 1·38 | 22·7 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, | 426,300 | 182 | 76 | 131 | 27 | 3 | 107 | 13·1 | 0·4 | 12 | 40 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | *1 | 1 | 6 | 11 | 61·0 | 42·0 | 52·9 | 0·96 | 41·3 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, | 174,800 | 72 | 24 | 30 | 2 | 2 | 30 | 9·0 | 0·9 | 5 | 12 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 65·1 | 44·3 | 54·0 | 0·67 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, | 158,500 | 74 | 40 | 48 | 11 | 3 | 40 | 13·2 | 1·0 | 4 | 18 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 66·0 | 45·0 | 54·0 | 1·28 | 49·0 | ABERDEEN |
| PAISLEY, | 87,900 | 38 | 14 | 17 | 2 | 0 | 15 | 8·9 | 0·6 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 63·9 | 45·0 | 54·1 | 1·58 | 31·2 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, | 80,200 | 46 | 23 | 12 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 7·8 | 0 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 61·0 | 40·0 | 53·2 | 2·07 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 70,100 | 27 | 6 | 6 | 0 | 3 | 9 | 6·7 | 0·7 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, | 48,600 | 25 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 6 | 6·5 | 0·0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, | 44,300 | 31 | 8 | 12 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 14·2 | 1·2 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, | 38,200 | 11 | 8 | 10 | 3 | 0 | 7 | 9·6 | 0·0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, | 41,100 | 15 | 5 | 6 | 0 | 4 | 10 | 12·7 | 0·0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, | 41,100 | 15 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 4 | 11 | 14·0 | 2·5 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, | 37,400 | 17 | 9 | 12 | 5 | 3 | 10 | 14·0 | 0·0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, | 37,500 | 15 | 7 | 11 | 1 | 2 | 12 | 16·7 | 0·0 | 2 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, | 36,000 | 13 | 5 | 12 | 2 | 0 | 10 | 14·5 | 0·0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | FALKIRK |
| PERTH, | 33,700 | 15 | 7 | 16 | 3 | 1 | 14 | 21·7 | 0·0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 64·0 | 44·0 | 54·9 | 0·55 | 44·1 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** June 30, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 1052 | 455 | 579 | 78 | 42 | 543 | 11·7 | 0·6 | 73 | 180 | 0 | 5 | 2 | 10 | 5 | 4 | *1 | 6 | 62 | 35 | 66·0 | 40·0 | 53·8 | 1·21 | ... | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| June 23, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 982 | 416 | 709 | 85 | 43 | 667 | 14·4 | 0·8 | 102 | 236 | 0 | 8 | 1 | 11 | 2 | 17 | *1 | 2 | 81 | 31 | 65·1 | 38·0 | 52·4 | 1·01 | ... | |
| July 2, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 1004 | 552 | 540 | 68 | 29 | 501 | 10·9 | 0·7 | 58 | 167 | 0 | 8 | 1 | 14 | 3 | 5 | *2 | 2 | 67 | 24 | 73·0 | 42·0 | 53·6 | 0·29 | ... | |

*Note*:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

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# WEEKLY RETURN

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# Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

*By Authority of the Registrar-General*

**No. 27. Week ending SATURDAY, JULY 7, 1928. Price 2d. net.**

During the week ending 7th July 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 969 living children, the deaths of 548 persons, and 539 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 525. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 21·0 per thousand, the marriage-rate 11·7, and the death-rate (corrected) 11·4.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·8 less than in the previous week, and 1·8 below the average. The marriage-rate is 1·9 more than in the previous week, and 2·7 above the average. The death-rate is 0·3 less than in the previous week, and 0·4 below the average.

The weekly death rate in the individual towns averaged 11·8, and varied from 17·1 in Perth and 15·3 in Ayr, to 8·9 in Hamilton, and 9·9 in Edinburgh and in Dundee. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Greenock (14·3) and in Falkirk (13·1). In Glasgow this rate was 11·9 and in Aberdeen 11·2.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 24, and are 2 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·5 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, 5 from measles, none from scarlet fever, 11 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, and 5 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 1 more, and from the diarrhœas of childhood 1 more, but those from measles number the same, while those from scarlet fever are 2 fewer, and from diphtheria 2 fewer.

No deaths from influenza were registered during the week. In the previous week 6 deaths were attributed to this cause.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 71, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·5 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·2 more than in the previous week, and is 0·1 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 71, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 196. The former are 2 fewer than in the previous week, but the latter are 16 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 26, and are 9 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 55°·3, being 1°·5 above that for the previous week, but 3°·4 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·57 inch.

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING JULY 7, 1928.

| TOWNS | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (See Note.) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Temperature. Minimum. | Temperature. Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, . . . . | 1,060,500 | 483 | 271 | 250 | 22 | 13 | 241 | 11·9 | 0·5 | 42 | 75 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 2 | *1 | 0 | 34 | 17 | 62·7 | 45·9 | 54·5 | 0·66 | 35·6 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, . . . | 426,300 | 135 | 89 | 91 | 15 | 5 | 81 | 9·9 | 0·2 | 4 | 39 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | *1 | 0 | 8 | 2 | 64·0 | 45·0 | 54·9 | 0·26 | 49·0 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, . . . . . | 174,800 | 58 | 23 | 34 | 2 | 1 | 33 | 9·9 | 0·3 | 6 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 66·8 | 44·9 | 56·2 | 0·38 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, . . . . | 158,500 | 71 | 41 | 33 | 5 | 6 | 34 | 11·2 | 0·3 | 4 | 19 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 67·0 | 44·0 | 55·1 | 0·59 | 38·8 | ABERDEEN |
| PAISLEY, . . . . . | 87,900 | 33 | 11 | 18 | 1 | 0 | 17 | 10·1 | 0·6 | 3 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 65·1 | 45·0 | 55·7 | 0·67 | 44·3 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, . . . . | 80,200 | 35 | 19 | 23 | 1 | 0 | 22 | 14·3 | 2·0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 62·2 | 45·3 | 54·3 | 1·07 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, . . . . | 70,100 | 20 | 9 | 12 | 0 | 2 | 14 | 10·4 | 0·7 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, . . . | 48,600 | 15 | 8 | 5 | 0 | 5 | 10 | 10·8 | 0·0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, . . . | 44,300 | 24 | 8 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 11·8 | 0·0 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, . . | 38,200 | 10 | 4 | 9 | 1 | 0 | 8 | 11·0 | 0·0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, . . . . | 41,100 | 13 | 6 | 8 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 11·4 | 0·0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, . . . . | 41,100 | 23 | 13 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 8·9 | 0·0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, . . . | 37,400 | 15 | 4 | 11 | 3 | 0 | 8 | 11·2 | 1·4 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, . . . . . | 37,500 | 13 | 6 | 16 | 5 | 0 | 11 | 15·3 | 1·4 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, . . . . . | 36,000 | 15 | 21 | 10 | 1 | 0 | 9 | 13·1 | 2·9 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | FALKIRK |
| PERTH, . . . . . | 33,700 | 6 | 6 | 12 | 2 | 1 | 11 | 17·1 | 1·6 | 1 | 9 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 68·0 | 42·0 | 56·2 | 0·35 | 49·2 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** July 7, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 969 | 539 | 548 | 58 | 35 | 525 | 11·4 | 0·5 | 71 | 196 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 11 | 3 | 5 | *2 | 0 | 71 | 26 | 68·0 | 42·0 | 55·3 | 0·57 | ... | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| June 30, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 1052 | 455 | 579 | 78 | 42 | 543 | 11·7 | 0·6 | 73 | 180 | 0 | 5 | 2 | 10 | 5 | 4 | *1 | 6 | 62 | 35 | 66·0 | 40·0 | 53·8 | 1·21 | ... | |
| July 9, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 1002 | 437 | 619 | 83 | 34 | 570 | 12·4 | 0·7 | 80 | 207 | 0 | 8 | 3 | 9 | 5 | 9 | *2 | 7 | 73 | 24 | 73·0 | 47·0 | 58·7 | 1·22 | ... | |

*Note*:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

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# WEEKLY RETURN

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IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

*By Authority of the Registrar-General*

**No. 28. Week ending SATURDAY, JULY 14, 1928. Price 2d. net.**

During the week ending 14th July 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 939 living children, the deaths of 568 persons, and 645 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 543. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·3 per thousand, the marriage-rate 14·0, and the death-rate (corrected) 11·7.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·7 less than in the previous week, and 1·4 below the average. The marriage-rate is 2·3 more than in the previous week, and 2·5 above the average. The death-rate is 0·3 more than in the previous week, and 0·1 above the average.

The weekly death-rate in the individual towns averaged 10·7, and varied from 17·1 in Perth and 16·5 in Coatbridge, to 4·3 in Clydebank and 6·0 in Motherwell and Wishaw. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Paisley (14·3) in Kilmarnock (14·0), in Dundee (13·2), in Edinburgh (12·6) and in Glasgow (12·1). In Aberdeen the rate was 10·9.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 30, and are 6 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·6 per thousand. They include 1 from enteric fever, 2 from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 16 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, and 6 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 5 more, from scarlet fever 2 more, from enteric fever 1 more, and from the diarrhœas of childhood 1 more, while those from diphtheria number the same, and from measles 3 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 2, and are 2 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 77, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·7 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·2 more than in the previous week, and is 0·4 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 68, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 185. The former are 3 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 11 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 24, and are 2 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 59°·1, being 3°·8 above that for the previous week, but 0°·8 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·49 inch.

*NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the three preceding years.*

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING JULY 14, 1928.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (See Note.) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Temperature. Minimum. | Temperature. Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, | 1,060,500 | 445 | 358 | 254 | 29 | 21 | 246 | 12·1 | 0·7 | 35 | 71 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 10 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 29 | 16 | 68·1 | 50·0 | 58·1 | 0·48 | 11·7 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, | 426,300 | 160 | 71 | 114 | 15 | 4 | 103 | 12·6 | 0·5 | 9 | 33 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 24 | 3 | 70·0 | 49·0 | 59·1 | 0·14 | 26·9 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, | 174,800 | 71 | 22 | 46 | 3 | 1 | 44 | 13·2 | 0·3 | 5 | 19 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 67·6 | 46·6 | 59·7 | 0·02 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, | 158,500 | 56 | 47 | 29 | 3 | 7 | 33 | 10·9 | 0·3 | 3 | 16 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 74·0 | 48·0 | 61·1 | 0·12 | 41·9 | ABERDEEN |
| PAISLEY, | 87,900 | 29 | 34 | 27 | 3 | 0 | 24 | 14·3 | 1·8 | 5 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 68·1 | 50·1 | 59·5 | 0·42 | 22·0 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, | 80,200 | 33 | 4 | 20 | 4 | 1 | 17 | 11·1 | 0·7 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 65·0 | 50·4 | 57·8 | 2·15 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 70,100 | 27 | 23 | 6 | 0 | 2 | 8 | 6·0 | 0·0 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, | 48,600 | 17 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 4 | 4·3 | 0·0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, | 44,300 | 22 | 10 | 13 | 0 | 1 | 14 | 16·5 | 3·5 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, | 38,200 | 11 | 10 | 7 | 3 | 1 | 5 | 6·8 | 0·0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, | 41,100 | 15 | 11 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 8·9 | 1·3 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, | 41,100 | 16 | 9 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 5 | 6·4 | 0·0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, | 37,400 | 9 | 6 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 14·0 | 0·0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, | 37,500 | 16 | 8 | 11 | 4 | 0 | 7 | 9·8 | 0·0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, | 36,000 | 4 | 7 | 6 | 1 | 0 | 5 | 7·3 | 0·0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | .. | FALKIRK. |
| PERTH, | 33,700 | 8 | 8 | 16 | 5 | 0 | 11 | 17·1 | 1·6 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 71·0 | 44·0 | 58·6 | 0·09 | 22·2 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** July 14, 1928, | **2,416,200** | **939** | **645** | **568** | **70** | **45** | **543** | **11·7** | **0·6** | **68** | **185** | **1** | **2** | **2** | **16** | **3** | **6** | **0** | **2** | **77** | **24** | **74·0** | **44·0** | **59·1** | **0·49** | ... | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| July 7, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 969 | 539 | 548 | 58 | 35 | 525 | 11·4 | 0·5 | 71 | 196 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 11 | 3 | 5 | *2 | 0 | 71 | 26 | 68·0 | 42·0 | 55·3 | 0·57 | ... | |
| July 16, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 948 | 544 | 611 | 83 | 38 | 566 | 12·3 | 0·7 | 71 | 169 | 0 | 11 | 1 | 11 | 2 | 7 | 0 | 5 | 67 | 42 | 78·0 | 48·0 | 59·9 | 0·47 | ... | |

*Note*:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

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IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

*By Authority of the Registrar-General*

**No. 29. Week ending SATURDAY, JULY 21, 1928. Price 2d. net.**

During the week ending 21st July 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 949 living children, the deaths of 548 persons, and 844 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 521. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·5 per thousand, the marriage-rate 18·3, and the death-rate (corrected) 11·3.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·2 more than in the previous week, but 0·6 below the average. The marriage-rate is 4·3 more than in the previous week, but is the same as the average. The death-rate is 0·4 less than in the previous week, and 0·7 below the average.

The weekly death-rate in the individual towns averaged 11·5, and varied from 16·5 in Kirkcaldy and 15·5 in Perth, to 3·2 in Clydebank and 6·0 in Motherwell and Wishaw. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Greenock (14·3), in Coatbridge (14·2), in Dunfermline (13·7), in Aberdeen (13·2), in Falkirk (13·1), in Ayr (12·6), in Paisley (12·5) and in Dundee (12·0). In Glasgow the rate was 11·4 and in Edinburgh 9·9.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 31, and are 1 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·7 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, none from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 11 from whooping-cough, 4 from diphtheria, and 15 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from the diarrhœas of childhood are 9 more, and from diphtheria 1 more, but those from scarlet fever are 1 fewer, and from whooping-cough 5 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 3, and are 1 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 62, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·3 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·4 less than in the previous week, but is the same as the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 64, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 181. The former are 4 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 4 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 28, and are 4 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 58°·8, being 0°·3 below that for the previous week, and 0°·3 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·06 inch.

*NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the three preceding years.*

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING JULY 21, 1928.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (See Note.) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Temperature. Minimum. | Temperature. Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, | 1,060,500 | 447 | 430 | 252 | 42 | 21 | 231 | 11·4 | 0·8 | 37 | 61 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 1 | 9 | 0 | 1 | 36 | 11 | 66·0 | 48·8 | 57·4 | 0·05 | 32·2 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, | 426,300 | 141 | 131 | 94 | 21 | 8 | 81 | 9·9 | 0·4 | 4 | 37 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 6 | 72·0 | 49·0 | 58·5 | 0·04 | 60·7 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, | 174,800 | 62 | 80 | 42 | 3 | 1 | 40 | 12·0 | 0·9 | 6 | 18 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 73·5 | 50·2 | 60 9 | 0·06 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, | 158,500 | 55 | 52 | 40 | 6 | 6 | 40 | 13·2 | 0·7 | 2 | 18 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 73·0 | 47·0 | 58·7 | 0·06 | 39·7 | ABERDEEN |
| PAISLEY, | 87,900 | 38 | 16 | 19 | 0 | 2 | 21 | 12·5 | 1·8 | 5 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 67·4 | 48·9 | 58·6 | 0·02 | 35·2 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, | 80,200 | 43 | 5 | 23 | 3 | 2 | 22 | 14·3 | 0·0 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 64·4 | 47·8 | 56·8 | 0·14 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 70,100 | 31 | 20 | 5 | 0 | 3 | 8 | 6·0 | 0·0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, | 48,600 | 12 | 26 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 3·2 | 0·0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | *1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, | 44,300 | 27 | 19 | 10 | 1 | 3 | 12 | 14·2 | 0·0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, | 38,200 | 6 | 9 | 10 | 3 | 3 | 10 | 13·7 | 1·4 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, | 41,100 | 11 | 23 | 11 | 0 | 2 | 13 | 16·5 | 0·0 | 1 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | .. | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, | 41,100 | 26 | 10 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 6·4 | 1·3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, | 37,400 | 13 | 6 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 9·8 | 0·0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, | 37,500 | 13 | 2 | 10 | 4 | 3 | 9 | 12·6 | 1·4 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, | 36,000 | 12 | 7 | 9 | 1 | 1 | 9 | 13·1 | 0·0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | FALKIRK. |
| PERTH, | 33,700 | 12 | 8 | 11 | 2 | 1 | 10 | 15·5 | 0·0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 73·0 | 50·0 | 60·6 | 0·03 | ... | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** July 21, 1928, | **2,416,200** | **949** | **844** | **548** | **86** | **59** | **521** | **11·3** | **0·7** | **64** | **181** | **0** | **0** | **1** | **11** | **4** | **15** | ***1** | **3** | **62** | **28** | **73·5** | **47·0** | **58·8** | **0·06** | | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| July 14, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 939 | 645 | 568 | 70 | 45 | 543 | 11·7 | 0 6 | 68 | 185 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 16 | 3 | 6 | 0 | 2 | 77 | 24 | 74·0 | 44·0 | 59·1 | 0·49 | | |
| July 23, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 878 | 860 | 570 | 66 | 44 | 548 | 11·9 | 0·8 | 78 | 202 | 0 | 14 | 0 | 10 | 3 | 9 | *3 | 1 | 57 | 24 | 77·0 | 44·0 | 59·1 | 0·75 | | |

*Note*:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

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# Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

*By Authority of the Registrar-General*

**No. 30. Week ending SATURDAY, JULY 28, 1928. Price 2d. net.**

During the week ending 28th July 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 966 living children, the deaths of 568 persons, and 459 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 541. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·9 per thousand, the marriage-rate 9·9, and the death-rate (corrected) 11·7.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·4 more than in the previous week, but 1·5 below the average. The marriage-rate is 8·4 less than in the previous week, and 0·3 below the average. The death-rate is 0·4 more than in the previous week, and 0·6 above the average.

The weekly death rate in the individual towns averaged 9·9, and varied from 14·2 in Aberdeen and 13·8 in Dundee, to 6·4 in Kirkcaldy and 6·5 in Clydebank. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Edinburgh (12·5), in Perth (12·4), in Glasgow (12·2), in Paisley (11·9), and in Coatbridge (11·8).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 25, and are 6 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·5 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, 7 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 7 from whooping-cough, 5 from diphtheria, and 5 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from measles are 7 more, and from diphtheria 1 more, but those from scarlet fever number the same, while from whooping-cough they are 4 fewer, and from the diarrhœas of childhood 10 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 1, and are 2 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 71, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·5 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·2 more than in the previous week, and is 0·3 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 66, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 189. The former are 2 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 8 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 29, and are 1 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 57°·5, being 1°·3 below that for the previous week, and 2°·9 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·94 inch.

*NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the three preceding years.*

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING JULY 28, 1928.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (*See Note.*) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Minimum. | Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, . . . . | 1,060,500 | 474 | 81 | 250 | 21 | 19 | 248 | 12·2 | 0·4 | 40 | 68 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 2 | *3 | 1 | 39 | 10 | 64·9 | 47·6 | 56·3 | 0·90 | 12·2 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, . . . | 426,300 | 137 | 158 | 116 | 19 | 5 | 102 | 12·5 | 1·0 | 6 | 46 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 16 | 5 | 67·0 | 46·0 | 57·0 | 1·63 | 18·6 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, . . . . . | 174,800 | 36 | 108 | 43 | 2 | 5 | 46 | 13·8 | 0·3 | 5 | 22 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 73·5 | 47·0 | 59·3 | 0·52 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, . . . . | 158,500 | 53 | 27 | 48 | 12 | 7 | 43 | 14·2 | 1·3 | 2 | 18 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 72·0 | 47·0 | 57·5 | 1·00 | 21·5 | ABERDEEN |
| PAISLEY, . . . . . | 87,900 | 30 | 17 | 22 | 2 | 0 | 20 | 11·9 | 0·0 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 67·0 | 47·9 | 57·6 | 0·93 | 19·2 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, . . . . | 80,200 | 35 | 7 | 13 | 1 | 0 | 12 | 7·8 | 0·0 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | *1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 65·0 | 45·7 | 55·9 | 1·32 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, . . . . | 70,100 | 29 | 4 | 10 | 0 | 2 | 12 | 8·9 | 0·7 | 2 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, . . . | 48,600 | 24 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 6·5 | 1·1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, . . . | 44,300 | 32 | 4 | 8 | 0 | 2 | 10 | 11·8 | 0·0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, . . | 38,200 | 15 | 5 | 6 | 2 | 2 | 6 | 8·2 | 0·0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, . . . . | 41,100 | 24 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 6·4 | 0·0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, . . . . | 41,100 | 23 | 6 | 5 | 0 | 2 | 7 | 8·9 | 1·3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, . . . | 37,400 | 14 | 22 | 8 | 3 | 0 | 5 | 7·0 | 0·0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, . . . . . | 37,500 | 14 | 3 | 7 | 2 | 0 | 5 | 7·0 | 1·4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, . . . . . | 36,000 | 15 | 8 | 7 | 1 | 0 | 6 | 8·7 | 0·0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | .. | FALKIRK |
| PERTH, . . . . . | 33,700 | 11 | 5 | 15 | 7 | 0 | 8 | 12·4 | 0·0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 71·0 | 45·0 | 58·6 | 0·27 | 24·3 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** July 28, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 966 | 459 | 568 | 72 | 45 | 541 | 11·7 | 0·5 | 66 | 189 | 0 | 7 | 1 | 7 | 5 | 5 | *4 | 1 | 71 | 29 | 73·5 | 45·0 | 57·5 | 0·94 | ... | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| July 21, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 949 | 844 | 548 | 86 | 59 | 521 | 11·3 | 0·7 | 64 | 181 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 11 | 4 | 15 | *1 | 3 | 62 | 28 | 73·5 | 47·0 | 58·8 | 0·06 | ... | |
| July 30, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 961 | 424 | 569 | 69 | 39 | 539 | 11·7 | 0·8 | 62 | 202 | 0 | 10 | 1 | 11 | 5 | 11 | *1 | 1 | 62 | 27 | 73·5 | 50·0 | 60·4 | 0·68 | ... | |

*Note*:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

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# WEEKLY RETURN

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# Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

*By Authority of the Registrar-General*

**No. 31. Week ending SATURDAY, AUGUST 4, 1928. Price 2d. net.**

During the week ending 4th August 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 908 living children, the deaths of 538 persons, and 372 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 509. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 19·6 per thousand, the marriage-rate 8·0, and the death-rate (corrected) 11·0.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·3 less than in the previous week, and 1·2 below the average. The marriage-rate is 1·9 less than in the previous week, and 0·6 below the average. The death-rate is 0·7 less than in the previous week, and 0·4 below the average.

The weekly death-rate in the individual towns averaged 9·6, and varied from 16·1 in Dundee and 14·5 in Falkirk, to 4·1 in Dunfermline and 4·7 in Perth. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Greenock (11·7), in Glasgow (11·6), in Edinburgh (11·4), in Ayr (11·2), and in Clydebank (10·8). In Aberdeen the rate was 9·6.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 26, and are 1 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·6 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, 1 from measles, none from scarlet fever, 11 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, and 11 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from the diarrhœas of childhood are 6 more, and from whooping-cough 4 more, but those from diphtheria are 2 fewer, and from measles 6 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 1, and are the same as in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 60, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·3 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·2 less than in the previous week, but is 0·2 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 70, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 167. The former are 4 more than in the previous week, but the latter are 22 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 43, and are 14 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 54°·5, being 3°·0 below that for the previous week, and 6°·7 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·08 inch.

*NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the three preceding years.*

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING AUGUST 4, 1928.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (*See Note.*) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Temperature. Minimum. | Temperature. Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, . . . . | 1,060,500 | 415 | 124 | 252 | 29 | 12 | 235 | 11·6 | 0·6 | 43 | 73 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 32 | 15 | 68·8 | 42·9 | 54·9 | 0·00 | 40·6 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, . . . | 426,300 | 134 | 95 | 98 | 12 | 7 | 93 | 11·4 | 0·5 | 8 | 41 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 13 | 8 | 70·0 | 42·0 | 54·1 | 0·04 | 37·1 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, . . . . . | 174,800 | 82 | 12 | 54 | 4 | 4 | 54 | 16·1 | 0·6 | 4 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 5 | 66·1 | 42·5 | 54·3 | 0·11 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, . . . . | 158,500 | 70 | 24 | 31 | 4 | 2 | 29 | 9·6 | 0·7 | 6 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 64·0 | 39·0 | 52·3 | 0·31 | 32·6 | ABERDEEN |
| PAISLEY, . . . . . | 87,900 | 22 | 67 | 12 | 3 | 1 | 10 | 5·9 | 0·6 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 72·1 | 42·0 | 55·6 | 0·01 | 42·4 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, . . . . | 80,200 | 38 | 9 | 19 | 2 | 1 | 18 | 11 7 | 0·7 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 70·0 | 42·0 | 54·6 | 0·02 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, . . . . | 70,100 | 28 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 5 | 9 | 6·7 | 0·7 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, . . . | 48,600 | 13 | 0 | 8 | 1 | 3 | 10 | 10·8 | 1·1 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, . . . | 44,300 | 25 | 1 | 6 | 1 | 2 | 7 | 8·3 | 0·0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, . . | 38,200 | 12 | 3 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 4·1 | 0·0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, . . . . | 41,100 | 5 | 8 | 8 | 1 | 0 | 7 | 8·9 | 0·0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, . . . . | 41,100 | 20 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 6 | 7·6 | 2·5 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, . . . | 37,400 | 11 | 13 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 9·8 | 0·0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, . . . . . | 37,500 | 12 | 2 | 11 | 3 | 0 | 8 | 11·2 | 0·0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, . . . . . | 36,000 | 11 | 0 | 12 | 2 | 0 | 10 | 14·5 | 0·0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | . | FALKIRK. |
| PERTH, . . . . . | 33,700 | 10 | 7 | 7 | 4 | 0 | 3 | 4·7 | 0·0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 74·0 | 40·0 | 55·6 | 0·10 | 43·2 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** Aug. 4, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 908 | 372 | 538 | 69 | 40 | 509 | 11·0 | 0·6 | 70 | 167 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 11 | 3 | 11 | 0 | 1 | 60 | 43 | 74·0 | 39·0 | 54·5 | 0·08 | ... | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| July 28, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 966 | 459 | 568 | 72 | 45 | 541 | 11·7 | 0·5 | 66 | 189 | 0 | 7 | 1 | 7 | 5 | 5 | *4 | 1 | 71 | 29 | 73·5 | 45·0 | 57·5 | 0·94 | ... | |
| Aug. 6, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 896 | 415 | 544 | 77 | 52 | 519 | 11·3 | 0·7 | 65 | 169 | 2 | 18 | 0 | 7 | 3 | 4 | *1 | 4 | 41 | 36 | 74·0 | 49·0 | 61·2 | 0·75 | ... | |

*Note:*—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

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# WEEKLY RETURN

OF

# Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

*By Authority of the Registrar-General*

**No. 32. Week ending SATURDAY, AUGUST 11, 1928. Price 2d. net.**

During the week ending 11th August 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 957 living children, the deaths of 552 persons, and 293 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 526. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·7 per thousand, the marriage-rate 6·3, and the death-rate (corrected) 11·4.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·1 more than in the previous week, and 0·1 above the average. The marriage-rate is 1·7 less than in the previous week, but 0·3 above the average. The death-rate is 0·4 more than in the previous week, and 0·3 above the average.

The weekly death-rate in the individual towns averaged 11·7, and varied from 16·0 in Falkirk and 14·4 in Dundee, to 5·5 in Dunfermline and 8·4 in Ayr. Relatively high death rates occurred in Clydebank (14·0), in Hamilton (14·0), in Kilmarnock (14·0), in Greenock (13·7), in Coatbridge (13·0) and in Aberdeen (12·2). In Glasgow the rate was 11·4 and in Edinburgh 9·6.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 22, and are 4 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·5 per thousand. They include 1 from enteric fever, 1 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 7 from whooping-cough, 1 from diphtheria, and 11 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from enteric fever and from scarlet fever are each 1 more, but those from measles and from the diarrhœas of childhood each number the same, while from diphtheria they are 2 fewer, and from whooping-cough 4 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 2, and are 1 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 64, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·4 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 more than in the previous week, and is 0·3 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 71, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 190. The former are 1 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 23 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 20, and are 23 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 59°·0, being 4°·5 above that for the previous week, but 1°·8 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1·31 inch.

*NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the three preceding years.*

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING AUGUST 11, 1928

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (*See Note.*) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Temperature. Minimum. | Temperature. Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, | 1,060,500 | 456 | 137 | 248 | 29 | 12 | 231 | 11·4 | 0·8 | 39 | 69 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 1 | 7 | *1 | 2 | 38 | 7 | 73·0 | 49·7 | 58·9 | 1·13 | 30·6 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, | 426,300 | 149 | 77 | 91 | 19 | 6 | 78 | 9·6 | 0·0 | 5 | 39 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 6 | 71·0 | 51·0 | 59·1 | 0·85 | 40·5 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, | 174,800 | 54 | 12 | 48 | 2 | 2 | 48 | 14·4 | 0·3 | 8 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 1 | 70·7 | 47·3 | 58·6 | 1·44 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, | 158,500 | 61 | 26 | 38 | 7 | 6 | 37 | 12·2 | 0·3 | 5 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 70·0 | 46·0 | 57·9 | 0·74 | 34·4 | ABERDEEN |
| PAISLEY, | 87,900 | 42 | 4 | 19 | 3 | 1 | 17 | 10·1 | 0·0 | 3 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 76·1 | 49·6 | 59·4 | 1·62 | 34·6 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, | 80,200 | 29 | 10 | 21 | 2 | 2 | 21 | 13·7 | 0·0 | 3 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 73·8 | 51·4 | 59·2 | 2·32 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 70,100 | 32 | 2 | 12 | 1 | 2 | 13 | 9·7 | 0·0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, | 48,600 | 19 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 8 | 13 | 14·0 | 0·0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, | 44,300 | 25 | 2 | 8 | 0 | 3 | 11 | 13·0 | 2·4 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, | 38,200 | 12 | 4 | 7 | 4 | 1 | 4 | 5·5 | 0·0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, | 41,100 | 9 | 2 | 8 | 2 | 2 | 8 | 10·2 | 0·0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, | 41,100 | 15 | 2 | 10 | 0 | 1 | 11 | 14·0 | 1·3 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, | 37,400 | 24 | 0 | 11 | 2 | 1 | 10 | 14·0 | 0·0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | *1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, | 37,500 | 8 | 0 | 8 | 2 | 0 | 6 | 8·4 | 0·0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, | 36,000 | 13 | 8 | 9 | 0 | 2 | 11 | 16·0 | 0·0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | | FALKIRK. |
| PERTH, | 33,700 | 9 | 5 | 9 | 2 | 0 | 7 | 10·9 | 0·0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 79·0 | 45·0 | 60·0 | 1·07 | 42·7 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** Aug. 11, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 957 | 293 | 552 | 75 | 49 | 526 | 11·4 | 0·5 | 71 | 190 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 1 | 11 | *2 | 2 | 64 | 20 | 79·0 | 45·0 | 59·0 | 1·31 | ... | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| Aug. 4, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 908 | 372 | 538 | 69 | 40 | 509 | 11·0 | 0·6 | 70 | 167 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 11 | 3 | 11 | 0 | 1 | 60 | 43 | 74·0 | 39·0 | 54·5 | 0·08 | ... | |
| Aug. 13, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 907 | 267 | 557 | 54 | 30 | 533 | 11·6 | 0·9 | 72 | 165 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 14 | 4 | 16 | *4 | 0 | 57 | 36 | 73·0 | 46·0 | 60·8 | 2·37 | ... | |

*Note*:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

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IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

*By Authority of the Registrar-General*

No. 33. Week ending SATURDAY, AUGUST 18, 1928. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 18th August 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 951 living children, the deaths of 545 persons, and 319 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 514. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·6 per thousand, the marriage-rate 6·9, and the death-rate (corrected) 11·1.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·1 less than in the previous week, but 0·5 above the average. The marriage-rate is 0·6 more than in the previous week, and 0·1 above the average. The death-rate is 0·3 less than in the previous week, but 0·4 above the average.

The weekly death-rate in the individual towns averaged 10·3, and varied from 16·5 in Coatbridge and 16·0 in Falkirk, to 4·2 in Kilmarnock and 5·1 in Hamilton. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Greenock (14·3), in Edinburgh (12·9) and in Dundee (12·6). In Glasgow the rate was 10·9 and in Aberdeen 10·6.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 24, and are 2 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·5 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, 1 from measles, none from scarlet fever, 9 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, and 12 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 2 more, from diphtheria 1 more, and from the diarrhœas of childhood 1 more, while those from measles number the same.

Deaths from influenza numbered 5, and are 3 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 53, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·1 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·3 less than in the previous week, but is 0·1 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 67, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 162. The former are 4 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 28 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 28, and are 8 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 57°·8, being 1°·2 below that for the previous week, but 2°·1 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·50 inch.

*NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the three preceding years.*

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING AUGUST 18, 1928

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (*See Note.*) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Temperature. Minimum. | Temperature. Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, . . . . | 1,060,500 | 436 | 129 | 252 | 38 | 8 | 222 | 10·9 | 0·6 | 35 | 61 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 7 | *2 | 3 | 28 | 9 | 67·0 | 50·0 | 58·0 | 0·48 | 26·3 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, . . . | 426,300 | 145 | 77 | 108 | 12 | 9 | 105 | 12·9 | 0·1 | 10 | 38 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 7 | 67·0 | 49·0 | 57·8 | 0·38 | 35·1 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, . . . . . | 174,800 | 58 | 18 | 43 | 3 | 2 | 42 | 12·6 | 0·9 | 4 | 16 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 3 | 68·0 | 47·7 | 58·2 | 0·51 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, . . . . | 158,500 | 59 | 41 | 33 | 4 | 3 | 32 | 10·6 | 0·3 | 3 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 69·0 | 47·0 | 57·0 | 0·53 | 27·9 | ABERDEEN |
| PAISLEY, . . . . . | 87,900 | 36 | 5 | 14 | 1 | 0 | 13 | 7·7 | 0·6 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 67·8 | 50·1 | 58·4 | 0·52 | 31·6 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, . . . . | 80,200 | 34 | 3 | 19 | 0 | 3 | 22 | 14·3 | 0·7 | 1 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 66·0 | 51·4 | 58·3 | 0·57 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, . . . . | 70,100 | 24 | 8 | 9 | 0 | 3 | 12 | 8·9 | 0·0 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | *1 | 1 | 0 | 3 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, . . . | 48,600 | 21 | 3 | 5 | 0 | 4 | 9 | 9·7 | 2·2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, . . . | 44,300 | 31 | 2 | 11 | 0 | 3 | 14 | 16·5 | 0·0 | 4 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, . . | 38,200 | 17 | 4 | 8 | 3 | 1 | 6 | 8·2 | 0·0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, . . . . | 41,100 | 8 | 3 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 10·2 | 0·0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, . . . . | 41,100 | 18 | 7 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 5·1 | 0·0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, . . . | 37,400 | 21 | 2 | 6 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 4·2 | 0·0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, . . . . . | 37,500 | 15 | 7 | 8 | 2 | 0 | 6 | 8·4 | 1·4 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, . . . . . | 36,000 | 19 | 3 | 10 | 1 | 2 | 11 | 16·0 | 1·5 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | FALKIRK. |
| PERTH, . . . . . | 33,700 | 9 | 7 | 7 | 2 | 0 | 5 | 7·8 | 0·0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 69·0 | 45·0 | 56·6 | 0·52 | 24·8 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** Aug. 18, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 951 | 319 | 545 | 70 | 39 | 514 | 11·1 | 0·5 | 67 | 162 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 9 | 2 | 12 | *3 | 5 | 53 | 28 | 69·0 | 45·0 | 57·8 | 0·50 | ... | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| Aug. 11, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 957 | 293 | 552 | 75 | 49 | 526 | 11·4 | 0·5 | 71 | 190 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 1 | 11 | *2 | 2 | 64 | 20 | 79·0 | 45·0 | 59·0 | 1·31 | ... | |
| Aug. 20, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 930 | 334 | 491 | 61 | 39 | 469 | 10·2 | 0·7 | 46 | 140 | 0 | 7 | 3 | 12 | 4 | 5 | *1 | 2 | 57 | 26 | 69·0 | 41·0 | 55·7 | 1·16 | ... | |

*Note*:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

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# WEEKLY RETURN

OF

# Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

*By Authority of the Registrar-General*

**No. 34. Week ending SATURDAY, AUGUST 25, 1928. Price 2d. net.**

During the week ending 25th August 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 862 living children, the deaths of 614 persons, and 309 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 588. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 18·7 per thousand, the marriage-rate 6·7, and the death-rate (corrected) 12 7.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·9 less than in the previous week, and 2·8 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·2 less than in the previous week, but 0·3 above the average. The death-rate is 1·6 more than in the previous week, and 1·4 above the average.

The weekly death rate in the individual towns averaged 11·5, and varied from 17·4 in Falkirk and 15·6 in Dundee, to 5·4 in Clydebank and 7·8 in Perth. In Glasgow the rate was 13·6, in Edinburgh 12·6, and in Aberdeen 10·2.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 27, and are 3 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·6 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, 2 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 12 from whooping-cough, 1 from diphtheria, and 11 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 3 more, from measles 1 more, and from scarlet fever 1 more, but those from diphtheria are 1 fewer, and from the diarrhœas of childhood 1 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 2, and are 3 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 81, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·8 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·7 more than in the previous week, and is 0·6 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 75, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 216. The former are 8 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 54 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 32, and are 4 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 57°·8, being the same as that for the previous week, but 0°·6 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·98 inch.

*NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the three preceding years.*

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING AUGUST 25, 1928.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (*See Note.*) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Minimum. | Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, | 1,060,500 | 406 | 151 | 290 | 29 | 15 | 276 | 13·6 | 0·6 | 39 | 89 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 2 | 52 | 13 | 66·5 | 50·6 | 58·4 | 0·65 | 24·5 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, | 426,300 | 124 | 62 | 110 | 13 | 6 | 103 | 12·6 | 0·1 | 11 | 53 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 8 | 68·0 | 49·0 | 57·1 | 1·72 | 15·8 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, | 174,800 | 55 | 21 | 55 | 5 | 2 | 52 | 15·6 | 0·6 | 3 | 21 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | *1 | 0 | 9 | 3 | 69·0 | 49·4 | 56·9 | 0·88 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, | 158,500 | 66 | 25 | 33 | 8 | 6 | 31 | 10·2 | 1·6 | 6 | 15 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 69·0 | 50·0 | 56·7 | 0·64 | 18·8 | ABERDEEN |
| PAISLEY, | 87,900 | 30 | 2 | 19 | 2 | 2 | 19 | 11·3 | 0·6 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 68·0 | 48·7 | 58·0 | 1·31 | 26·6 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, | 80,200 | 34 | 7 | 19 | 2 | 2 | 19 | 12·4 | 0·7 | 3 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 67·0 | 50·0 | 59·0 | 1·07 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 70,100 | 25 | 5 | 13 | 0 | 2 | 15 | 11·2 | 0·0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, | 48,600 | 18 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 5 | 5·4 | 0·0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, | 44,300 | 22 | 1 | 8 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 10·6 | 1·2 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, | 38,200 | 6 | 9 | 9 | 1 | 0 | 8 | 11·0 | 2·7 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, | 41,100 | 13 | 4 | 8 | 1 | 3 | 10 | 12·7 | 0·0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, | 41,100 | 22 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 3 | 7 | 8·9 | 0·0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, | 37,400 | 15 | 4 | 9 | 1 | 1 | 9 | 12·6 | 0·0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, | 37,500 | 12 | 4 | 8 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 11·2 | 1·4 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, | 36,000 | 7 | 3 | 13 | 2 | 1 | 12 | 17·4 | 1·5 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | . | FALKIRK. |
| PERTH, | 33,700 | 7 | 4 | 12 | 7 | 0 | 5 | 7·8 | 0·0 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 69·0 | 49·0 | 58·4 | 0·61 | 19·4 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** Aug. 25, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 862 | 309 | 614 | 73 | 47 | 588 | 12·7 | 0·6 | 75 | 216 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 12 | 1 | 11 | *1 | 2 | 81 | 32 | 69·0 | 48·7 | 57·8 | 0·98 | ... | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| Aug. 18, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 951 | 319 | 545 | 70 | 39 | 514 | 11·1 | 0·5 | 67 | 162 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 9 | 2 | 12 | *3 | 5 | 53 | 28 | 69·0 | 45·0 | 57·8 | 0·50 | ... | |
| Aug. 27, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 950 | 275 | 548 | 70 | 29 | 507 | 11·0 | 0·8 | 67 | 163 | 0 | 7 | 1 | 14 | 7 | 8 | *1 | 1 | 53 | 21 | 69·5 | 42·0 | 57·2 | 1·01 | ... | |

*Note*:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

* Cerebro-spinal meningitis.

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# WEEKLY RETURN

OF

# Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

*By Authority of the Registrar-General*

**No. 35. Week ending SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 1928. Price 2d. net.**

During the week ending 1st September 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 965 living children, the deaths of 526 persons, and 313 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 497. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·9 per thousand, the marriage-rate 6·8, and the death-rate (corrected) 10·8.

The birth-rate of the week is 2·2 more than in the previous week, and is the same as the average. The marriage-rate is 0·1 more than in the previous week, but 2·3 below the average. The death-rate is 1·9 less than in the previous week, and 0·1 below the average.

The weekly death-rate in the individual towns averaged 9·7, and varied from 13·7 in Greenock, and 13·5 in Aberdeen, to 5·4 in Paisley and 5·5 in Dunfermline. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Ayr (12·6), in Glasgow (12·0), in Clydebank (11·8), in Dundee (11·4), and in Kirkcaldy (11·4). In Edinburgh the rate was 8·6.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 24, and are 3 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·5 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, none from measles, none from scarlet fever, 9 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, and 12 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from diphtheria are 2 more, and from the diarrhœas of childhood 1 more, but those from whooping-cough are 3 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 4, and are 2 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 61, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·3 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·5 less than in the previous week, but is 0·1 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 89, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 150. The former are 14 more than in the previous week, but the latter are 66 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 20, and are 12 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 55°·5, being 2°·3 below that for the previous week, and 2°·0 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1·30 inch.

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 1, 1928.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (See Note.) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Minimum. | Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, | 1,060,500 | 440 | 129 | 256 | 24 | 11 | 243 | 12·0 | 0·7 | 48 | 66 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 3 | 6 | *2 | 3 | 39 | 9 | 67·0 | 46·0 | 56·0 | 0·63 | 25·6 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, | 426,300 | 138 | 67 | 76 | 13 | 7 | 70 | 8·6 | 0·0 | 5 | 24 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 4 | 67·0 | 46·0 | 55·1 | 1·88 | 28·9 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, | 174,800 | 72 | 23 | 38 | 1 | 1 | 38 | 11·4 | 0·6 | 9 | 12 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 70·1 | 46·4 | 54·9 | 2·35 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, | 158,500 | 69 | 34 | 51 | 11 | 1 | 41 | 13·5 | 0·3 | 10 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 61·0 | 39·0 | 52·4 | 0·41 | 21·5 | ABERDEEN |
| PAISLEY, | 87,900 | 43 | 5 | 7 | 1 | 3 | 9 | 5·4 | 0·0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 69·3 | 45·8 | 56·8 | 1·02 | 30·7 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, | 80,200 | 31 | 8 | 21 | 1 | 1 | 21 | 13·7 | 0·7 | 5 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 68·8 | 47·8 | 56·7 | 1·42 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 70,100 | 35 | 8 | 11 | 0 | 1 | 12 | 8·9 | 0·7 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, | 48,600 | 14 | 5 | 7 | 0 | 4 | 11 | 11·8 | 0·0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | *1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, | 44,300 | 26 | 4 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 7·1 | 0·0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, | 38,200 | 9 | 6 | 8 | 4 | 0 | 4 | 5·5 | 0·0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, | 41,100 | 12 | 2 | 8 | 1 | 2 | 9 | 11·4 | 1·3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, | 41,100 | 15 | 4 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 8·9 | 1·3 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, | 37,400 | 24 | 4 | 6 | 1 | 0 | 5 | 7·0 | 0·0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, | 37,500 | 18 | 6 | 9 | 2 | 2 | 9 | 12·6 | 1·4 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, | 36,000 | 5 | 5 | 10 | 3 | 0 | 7 | 10·2 | 1·5 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | FALKIRK. |
| PERTH, | 33,700 | 14 | 3 | 7 | 2 | 0 | 5 | 7·8 | 0·0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 71·0 | 44·0 | 56·4 | 1·41 | 22·3 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** Sept. 1, 1928, | **2,416,200** | **965** | **313** | **526** | **64** | **35** | **497** | **10·8** | **0·5** | **89** | **150** | **0** | **0** | **0** | **9** | **3** | **12** | ***3** | **4** | **61** | **20** | **71·0** | **39·0** | **55·5** | **1·30** | ... | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| Aug. 25, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 862 | 309 | 614 | 73 | 47 | 588 | 12·7 | 0·6 | 75 | 216 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 12 | 1 | 11 | *1 | 2 | 81 | 32 | 69·0 | 48·7 | 57·8 | 0·98 | ... | |
| Sept. 3, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 881 | 419 | 559 | 69 | 39 | 529 | 11·5 | 0·9 | 70 | 173 | 0 | 9 | 5 | 11 | 5 | 10 | *2 | 2 | 60 | 29 | 71·2 | 39·0 | 57·5 | 0·39 | ... | |

*Note*:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

* Cerebro-spinal meningitis.

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# WEEKLY RETURN

OF

# Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

*By Authority of the Registrar-General*

No. 36. Week ending SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 1928. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 8th September 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 903 living children, the deaths of 585 persons, and 475 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 551. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 19·5 per thousand, the marriage-rate 10·3, and the death-rate (corrected) 11·9.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·4 less than in the previous week, and 0·4 below the average. The marriage rate is 3·5 more than in the previous week, and 1·8 above the average. The death-rate is 1·1 more than in the previous week, and 0·7 above the average.

The weekly death rate in the individual towns averaged 11·6, and varied from 16·5 in Coatbridge, and 16·4 in Dunfermline, to 7·6 in Kirkcaldy, 8·4 in Ayr, 8·6 in Clydebank, and 8·7 in Falkirk. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Edinburgh (14·1), and in Hamilton (14·0). In Glasgow this rate was 11·4, in Dundee 13·2, and in Aberdeen 10·6.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 28, and are 4 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·6 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever or from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 5 from whooping-cough, 5 from diphtheria, and 16 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from the diarrhœas of childhood are 4 more, from scarlet fever 2 more, and from diphtheria 2 more, but those from whooping-cough are 4 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 1, and are 3 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 56, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·2 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 less than in the previous week, and is 0·2 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 86, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 192. The former are 3 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 42 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 25, and are 5 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 57°·8, being 2°·3 above that for the previous week, and 0°·3 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1·55 inch.

*NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the three preceding years.*

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 8, 1928.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (*See Note.*) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Temperature. Minimum. | Temperature. Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, . . . . | 1,060,500 | 429 | 228 | 255 | 31 | 7 | 231 | 11·4 | 0·9 | 37 | 69 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 3 | 10 | *2 | 1 | 26 | 12 | 66·2 | 44·1 | 57·2 | 1·24 | 23·5 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, . . . | 426,300 | 149 | 107 | 125 | 16 | 6 | 115 | 14·1 | 0·1 | 19 | 44 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 16 | 5 | 68·0 | 47·0 | 58·8 | 1·37 | 29·5 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, . . . . . | 174,800 | 59 | 31 | 46 | 2 | 0 | 44 | 13·2 | 0·3 | 4 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 69·1 | 48 0 | 58 3 | 1·06 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, . . . . | 158,500 | 56 | 28 | 33 | 5 | 4 | 32 | 10·6 | 0·0 | 4 | 18 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 66·0 | 43·0 | 56·7 | 1·42 | 25·4 | ABERDEEN |
| PAISLEY, . . . . . | 87,900 | 30 | 7 | 20 | 1 | 0 | 19 | 11·3 | 0·0 | 3 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 67 6 | 43·1 | 58·1 | 1·44 | 27·0 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, . . . . | 80,200 | 31 | 13 | 20 | 2 | 1 | 19 | 12·4 | 1·3 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 66·1 | 46·0 | 57·3 | 2·92 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, . . . . | 70,100 | 32 | 8 | 12 | 0 | 1 | 13 | 9·7 | 0·0 | 6 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, . . . | 48,600 | 7 | 5 | 3 | 0 | 5 | 8 | 8·6 | 0·0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, . . . | 44,300 | 19 | 5 | 13 | 0 | 1 | 14 | 16·5 | 2·4 | 3 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, . . | 38,200 | 12 | 12 | 11 | 1 | 2 | 12 | 16·4 | 0·0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, . . . . | 41,100 | 14 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 6 | 7·6 | 0·0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, . . . . | 41,100 | 17 | 6 | 9 | 0 | 2 | 11 | 14·0 | 0·0 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, . . . | 37,400 | 12 | 3 | 8 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 11·2 | 0·0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, . . . . . | 37,500 | 9 | 3 | 8 | 2 | 0 | 6 | 8·4 | 2 8 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, . . . . . | 36,000 | 17 | 8 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 8·7 | 1·5 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | FALKIRK. |
| PERTH, . . . . . | 33,700 | 10 | 7 | 12 | 5 | 0 | 7 | 10 9 | 0·0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 70·0 | 40·0 | 57·9 | 1·40 | 22·0 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** Sept. 8, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 903 | 475 | 585 | 66 | 32 | 551 | 11·9 | 0·6 | 86 | 192 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 5 | 5 | 16 | *2 | 1 | 56 | 25 | 70·0 | 40·0 | 57·8 | 1·55 | ... | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| Sept. 1, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 965 | 313 | 526 | 64 | 35 | 497 | 10·8 | 0·5 | 89 | 150 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 3 | 12 | *3 | 4 | 61 | 20 | 71·0 | 39·0 | 55·5 | 1·30 | ... | |
| Sept. 10, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 862 | 398 | 543 | 65 | 39 | 517 | 11·3 | 0·7 | 70 | 177 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 8 | 4 | 15 | 0 | 2 | 67 | 29 | 68·0 | 44·0 | 57·5 | 1·14 | ... | |

*Note*:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

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# WEEKLY RETURN

OF

# Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

*By Authority of the Registrar-General*

**No. 37. Week ending SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 1928. Price 2d. net.**

During the week ending 15th September 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 937 living children, the deaths of 557 persons, and 406 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 533. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·3 per thousand, the marriage-rate 8·8, and the death-rate (corrected) 11·5.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·8 more than in the previous week, but 0·4 below the average. The marriage-rate is 1·5 less than in the previous week, but 0·6 above the average. The death-rate is 0·4 less than in the previous week, and 0·4 below the average.

The weekly death-rate in the individual towns averaged 10·7, and varied from 21·7 in Perth and 14·2 in Coatbridge, to 2·5 in Kirkcaldy, 5·6 in Ayr, and 5·9 in Paisley. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Glasgow (13·2), in Falkirk (13·1), in Kilmarnock (12·6), and in Dunfermline (12·3). In Edinburgh it was 9·8, in Dundee 11·4, and in Aberdeen 11·5.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 30, and are 2 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·6 per thousand. They include 1 from enteric fever, 1 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 5 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, and 20 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from the diarrhœas of childhood are 4 more, from enteric fever 1 more, and from measles 1 more, but those from whooping-cough number the same, from scarlet fever 1 fewer, and from diphtheria 3 fewer.

No death was registered as due to influenza.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 64, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·4 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·2 more than in the previous week, and is 0·1 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 77, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 195. The former are 9 fewer than in the previous week, but the latter are 3 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 30, and are 5 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 55°·8, being 2°·0 below that for the previous week, but 5°·8 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·74 inch.

*NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the three preceding years.*

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 15, 1928.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (See Note.) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Temperature. Minimum. | Temperature. Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, | 1,060,500 | 435 | 185 | 280 | 29 | 16 | 267 | 13·2 | 0·9 | 48 | 87 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 14 | *3 | 0 | 38 | 13 | 67·8 | 46·3 | 55·6 | 0·78 | 34·3 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, | 426,300 | 142 | 98 | 92 | 18 | 6 | 80 | 9·8 | 0·2 | 5 | 35 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 4 | 70·0 | 46·0 | 56·4 | 0·43 | 48·0 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, | 174,800 | 66 | 14 | 42 | 6 | 2 | 38 | 11·4 | 0·3 | 4 | 19 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 1 | 67·0 | 42·1 | 55·5 | 0·70 | .. | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, | 158,500 | 56 | 26 | 32 | 3 | 6 | 35 | 11·5 | 0·3 | 3 | 20 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 67·0 | 39·0 | 55·2 | 0·24 | 48·4 | ABERDEEN |
| PAISLEY, | 87,900 | 28 | 10 | 14 | 4 | 0 | 10 | 5·9 | 1·2 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 68·7 | 46·2 | 56·4 | 0·88 | 49·6 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, | 80,200 | 43 | 7 | 15 | 1 | 1 | 15 | 9·8 | 0·7 | 2 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 68·0 | 48·0 | 56·5 | 1·38 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 70,100 | 25 | 8 | 11 | 0 | 3 | 14 | 10·4 | 0·0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, | 48,600 | 25 | 4 | 5 | 0 | 2 | 7 | 7·5 | 0·0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, | 44,300 | 19 | 2 | 11 | 1 | 2 | 12 | 14·2 | 0·0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, | 38,200 | 13 | 5 | 10 | 1 | 0 | 9 | 12·3 | 0·0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, | 41,100 | 12 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2·5 | 0·0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, | 41,100 | 29 | 3 | 5 | 0 | 3 | 8 | 10·2 | 2·5 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, | 37,400 | 17 | 9 | 6 | 0 | 3 | 9 | 12·6 | 1·4 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, | 37,500 | 10 | 8 | 7 | 4 | 1 | 4 | 5·6 | 1·4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, | 36,000 | 8 | 12 | 10 | 3 | 2 | 9 | 13·1 | 0·0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | .. | FALKIRK |
| PERTH, | 33,700 | 9 | 12 | 15 | 1 | 0 | 14 | 21·7 | 0·0 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 69·0 | 41·0 | 54·9 | 0·76 | 41·1 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** Sept. 15, 1928, | **2,416,200** | **937** | **406** | **557** | **71** | **47** | **533** | **11·5** | **0·6** | **77** | **195** | **1** | **1** | **1** | **5** | **2** | **20** | ***3** | **0** | **64** | **30** | **70·0** | **39·0** | **55·8** | **0·74** | ... | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| Sept. 8, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 903 | 475 | 585 | 66 | 32 | 551 | 11·9 | 0·6 | 86 | 192 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 5 | 5 | 16 | *2 | 1 | 56 | 25 | 70·0 | 40·0 | 57·8 | 1·55 | ... | |
| Sept. 17, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 923 | 391 | 573 | 61 | 39 | 551 | 12·0 | 0·6 | 83 | 163 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 10 | 6 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 53 | 27 | 64·0 | 34·0 | 50·0 | 0·47 | ... | |

*Note*:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

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# WEEKLY RETURN

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# Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

*By Authority of the Registrar-General*

**No. 38. Week ending SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 1928. Price 2d. net.**

During the week ending 22nd September 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 857 living children, the deaths of 571 persons, and 428 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 535. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 18·5 per thousand, the marriage-rate 9·3, and the death-rate (corrected) 11·6.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·8 less than in the previous week, and 2·7 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·5 more than in the previous week, and 0·1 above the average. The death-rate is 0·1 more than in the previous week, but 0·2 below the average.

The weekly death-rate in the individual towns averaged 11·1, and varied from 19·4 in Clydebank and 17·1 in Perth, to 3·8 in Kirkcaldy and 6·8 in Dunfermline. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Greenock (14·3), in Dundee (12·9), and in Glasgow (12·1). In Edinburgh the rate was 10·8 and in Aberdeen 10·2.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 22, and are 8 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·5 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, none from measles, none from scarlet fever, 11 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, and 8 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 6 more, and from diphtheria 1 more, but those from the diarrhœas of childhood are 12 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 10, and are 10 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 72, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·6 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·2 more than in the previous week, and is 0·2 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 68, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 189. The former are 9 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 6 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 25, and are 5 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 51°·4, being 4°·4 below that for the previous week, but 2°·5 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·71 inch.

*NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the three preceding years.*

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 22, 1928.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (See Note.) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Temperature. Minimum. | Temperature. Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, . . . . | 1,060,500 | 407 | 185 | 262 | 27 | 11 | 246 | 12·1 | 0·6 | 35 | 74 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 4 | 38 | 11 | 61·4 | 38·2 | 52·0 | 0·81 | 32·3 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, . . . | 426,300 | 119 | 103 | 101 | 14 | 1 | 88 | 10·8 | 0·5 | 5 | 40 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 8 | 1 | 63·0 | 40·0 | 51·8 | 0·19 | 41·4 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, . . . . . | 174,800 | 53 | 15 | 44 | 2 | 1 | 43 | 12·9 | 0·6 | 8 | 14 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 2 | 61·5 | 35·8 | 50·9 | 0·60 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, . . . . | 158,500 | 60 | 35 | 38 | 10 | 3 | 31 | 10·2 | 0·3 | 2 | 16 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 63·0 | 38·0 | 50·7 | 0·38 | 31·3 | ABERDEEN |
| PAISLEY, . . . . . | 87,900 | 34 | 13 | 23 | 5 | 1 | 19 | 11·3 | 0·6 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 60·8 | 36·5 | 51·9 | 1·10 | 32·4 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, . . . . | 80,200 | 29 | 21 | 24 | 2 | 0 | 22 | 14·3 | 0 0 | 4 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | *1 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 61·0 | 41·0 | 52·5 | 1·40 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, . . . . | 70,100 | 24 | 10 | 12 | 1 | 1 | 12 | 8·9 | 0·0 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, . . . | 48,600 | 17 | 3 | 8 | 0 | 10 | 18 | 19·4 | 1·1 | 2 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, . . . | 44,300 | 19 | 4 | 7 | 1 | 2 | 8 | 9·4 | 1·2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, . . | 38,200 | 10 | 5 | 6 | 1 | 0 | 5 | 6·8 | 0·0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, . . . . | 41,100 | 16 | 6 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3·8 | 0·0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, . . . . | 41,100 | 17 | 3 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 8 | 10·2 | 0·0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, . . . | 37,400 | 11 | 3 | 7 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 9·8 | 0·0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, . . . . . | 37,500 | 11 | 7 | 10 | 3 | 1 | 8 | 11·2 | 0·0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, . . . . . | 36,000 | 14 | 7 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 8·7 | 0·0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | . | FALKIRK. |
| PERTH, . . . . . | 33,700 | 16 | 8 | 13 | 3 | 1 | 11 | 17·1 | 0·0 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 63·0 | 30·0 | 50·1 | 0·50 | 37·5 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** Sept. 22, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 857 | 428 | 571 | 70 | 34 | 535 | 11·6 | 0·5 | 68 | 189 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 3 | 8 | *1 | 10 | 72 | 25 | 63·0 | 30·0 | 51·4 | 0·71 | ... | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| Sept. 15, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 937 | 406 | 557 | 71 | 47 | 533 | 11·5 | 0·6 | 77 | 195 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 2 | 20 | *3 | 0 | 64 | 30 | 70·0 | 39·0 | 55·8 | 0·74 | ... | |
| Sept. 24, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 900 | 412 | 553 | 65 | 36 | 524 | 11·4 | 0·6 | 69 | 191 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 5 | 4 | 12 | *4 | 5 | 61 | 25 | 61·0 | 39·0 | 48·9 | 2 97 | ... | |

*Note*:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

* Cerebro-spinal meningitis

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# WEEKLY RETURN

OF

# Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

*By Authority of the Registrar-General*

**No. 39. Week ending SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 1928. Price 2d. net.**

During the week ending 29th September 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 885 living children, the deaths of 606 persons, and 470 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 561. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 19·2 per thousand, the marriage-rate 10·2, and the death-rate (corrected) 12·1.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·7 more than in the previous week, but 1·5 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·9 more than in the previous week, but 0·2 below the average. The death-rate is 0·5 more than in the previous week, but 0·1 below the average.

The weekly death-rate in the individual towns averaged 11·0, and varied from 18·9 in Coatbridge and 16·3 in Greenock, to 2·5 in Kirkcaldy and 5·5 in Dunfermline. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Dundee (16·1), in Glasgow (12·6) and in Aberdeen (12·5). In Edinburgh the rate was 10·9.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 33, and are 11 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·7 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, none from measles, none from scarlet fever, 8 from whooping-cough, 7 from diphtheria, and 18 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from the diarrhœas of childhood are 10 more, and from diphtheria 4 more, but those from whooping-cough are 3 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 4, and are 6 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 71, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·5 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 less than in the previous week, and is 0·1 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 92, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 179. The former are 24 more than in the previous week, but the latter are 10 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 27, and are 2 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 47°·0, being 4°·4 below that for the previous week, and 2°·4 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·18 inch.

*NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the three preceding years.*

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 29, 1928.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (See Note.) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Temperature. Minimum. | Temperature. Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, | 1,060,500 | 389 | 229 | 283 | 34 | 7 | 256 | 12·6 | 0·8 | 55 | 61 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 3 | 7 | *2 | 3 | 42 | 12 | 56·3 | 33·2 | 46·4 | 0·01 | 24·9 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, | 426,300 | 137 | 74 | 102 | 16 | 3 | 89 | 10·9 | 0·5 | 8 | 37 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 8 | 57·0 | 35·0 | 47·1 | 0·22 | 25·4 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, | 174,800 | 56 | 35 | 56 | 4 | 2 | 54 | 16·1 | 0·6 | 5 | 19 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 2 | 58·6 | 31·8 | 46·2 | 0·16 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, | 158,500 | 61 | 41 | 40 | 9 | 7 | 38 | 12·5 | 0·0 | 3 | 18 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 57·0 | 35·0 | 47·6 | 0·60 | 23·1 | ABERDEEN |
| PAISLEY, | 87,900 | 28 | 17 | 20 | 3 | 2 | 19 | 11·3 | 1·2 | 3 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 58·8 | 32·4 | 46·9 | 0·02 | 26·6 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, | 80,200 | 41 | 11 | 26 | 2 | 1 | 25 | 16·3 | 2·6 | 4 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 58·0 | 36·0 | 49·2 | 0·09 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 70,100 | 23 | 7 | 15 | 0 | 1 | 16 | 11·9 | 0·7 | 3 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, | 48,600 | 19 | 10 | 7 | 1 | 3 | 9 | 9·7 | 0·0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, | 44,300 | 24 | 5 | 14 | 0 | 2 | 16 | 18·9 | 3·5 | 4 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, | 38,200 | 18 | 6 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 5·5 | 1·4 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, | 41,100 | 17 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2·5 | 0·0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, | 41,100 | 19 | 6 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 6·4 | 0·0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, | 37,400 | 14 | 7 | 9 | 2 | 1 | 8 | 11·2 | 0·0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | *1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, | 37,500 | 14 | 10 | 11 | 6 | 2 | 7 | 9·8 | 0·0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, | 36,000 | 18 | 3 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 8·7 | 0·0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | FALKIRK. |
| PERTH, | 33,700 | 7 | 5 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 10·9 | 0·0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 61·0 | 25·0 | 45·3 | 0·18 | 33·2 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** Sept. 29, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 885 | 470 | 606 | 79 | 34 | 561 | 12·1 | 0·7 | 92 | 179 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 7 | 18 | *3 | 4 | 71 | 27 | 61·0 | 25·0 | 47·0 | 0·18 | ... | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| Sept. 22, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 857 | 428 | 571 | 70 | 34 | 535 | 11·6 | 0·5 | 68 | 189 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 3 | 8 | *1 | 10 | 72 | 25 | 63·0 | 30·0 | 51·4 | 0·71 | ... | |
| Oct. 1, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 899 | 448 | 629 | 83 | 43 | 589 | 12·8 | 0·7 | 86 | 204 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 6 | 5 | 17 | 0 | 1 | 74 | 32 | 61·8 | 37·0 | 49·4 | 2·62 | ... | |

*Note:*—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

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# WEEKLY RETURN

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# Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

*By Authority of the Registrar-General*

**No. 40. Week ending SATURDAY, OCTOBER 6, 1928. Price 2d. net.**

During the week ending 6th October 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 938 living children, the deaths of 611 persons, and 452 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 567. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·3 per thousand, the marriage-rate 9·8, and the death-rate (corrected) 12·3.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·1 more than in the previous week, but 1·9 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·4 less than in the previous week, but 1·2 above the average. The death-rate is 0·2 more than in the previous week, but is the same as the average.

The weekly death-rate in the individual towns averaged 10·7, and varied from 15·5 in Perth and 15·3 in Ayr, to 4·1 in Dunfermline and 5·8 in Falkirk. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Glasgow (14·1), in Paisley (13·1), in Greenock (13·0) and in Motherwell and Wishaw (12·7). In Edinburgh the rate was 10·4, in Dundee 11·7 and in Aberdeen 11·5.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 24, and are 9 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·5 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, none from measles, none from scarlet fever, 4 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, and 17 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 4 fewer, from diphtheria 4 fewer, and from the diarrhœas of childhood 1 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 5, and are 1 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 92, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·0 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·5 more than in the previous week, and is 0·2 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 71, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 203. The former are 21 fewer than in the previous week, but the latter are 24 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 29, and are 2 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 47°·9, being 0°·9 above that for the previous week, but 1°·5 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·35 inch.

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 6, 1928.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (See Note.) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Temperature. Minimum. | Temperature. Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, | 1,060,500 | 428 | 196 | 307 | 26 | 4 | 285 | 14·1 | 0·7 | 43 | 91 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 9 | 0 | 5 | 60 | 15 | 57·3 | 32·1 | 47·9 | 0·33 | 25·8 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, | 426,300 | 125 | 90 | 100 | 17 | 2 | 85 | 10·4 | 0·2 | 2 | 39 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 5 | 58·0 | 32·0 | 47·9 | 0·10 | 38·3 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, | 174,800 | 61 | 66 | 39 | 2 | 2 | 39 | 11·7 | 0·3 | 2 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 1 | 58·7 | 29 5 | 46·5 | 0·46 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, | 158,500 | 69 | 17 | 38 | 10 | 7 | 35 | 11·5 | 0·7 | 7 | 14 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | *1 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 61·0 | 33·0 | 48·4 | 0·29 | 21·6 | ABERDEEN |
| PAISLEY, | 87,900 | 34 | 11 | 23 | 2 | 1 | 22 | 13·1 | 1·2 | 2 | 12 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 59·8 | 30·6 | 48·8 | 0·32 | 33·8 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, | 80,200 | 42 | 13 | 23 | 4 | 1 | 20 | 13·0 | 0·0 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 60·1 | 36·0 | 49·3 | 0·70 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 70,100 | 27 | 6 | 15 | 0 | 2 | 17 | 12·7 | 0·0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, | 48,600 | 30 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 2 | 8 | 8·6 | 0·0 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, | 44,300 | 28 | 6 | 9 | 0 | 1 | 10 | 11·8 | 0·0 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, | 38,200 | 11 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 4·1 | 0·0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, | 41,100 | 17 | 5 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 6·4 | 0·0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, | 41,100 | 16 | 5 | 4 | 0 | 4 | 8 | 10·2 | 0·0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, | 37,400 | 19 | 10 | 7 | 2 | 0 | 5 | 7·0 | 0·0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, | 37,500 | 15 | 11 | 13 | 3 | 1 | 11 | 15·3 | 2·8 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, | 36,000 | 7 | 3 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 5·8 | 0·0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | FALKIRK |
| PERTH, | 33,700 | 9 | 8 | 13 | 3 | 0 | 10 | 15·5 | 0·0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 64·0 | 25·0 | 46·5 | 0·28 | 34·2 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** Oct. 6, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 938 | 452 | 611 | 72 | 28 | 567 | 12·3 | 0·5 | 71 | 203 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 3 | 17 | *1 | 5 | 92 | 29 | 64·0 | 25·0 | 47·9 | 0·35 | ... | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| Sept. 29, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 885 | 470 | 606 | 79 | 34 | 561 | 12·1 | 0·7 | 92 | 179 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 7 | 18 | *3 | 4 | 71 | 27 | 61·0 | 25·0 | 47·0 | 0·18 | ... | |
| Oct. 8, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 941 | 444 | 636 | 60 | 31 | 607 | 13·2 | 0·8 | 72 | 224 | 0 | 6 | 2 | 8 | 3 | 16 | *1 | 5 | 91 | 24 | 70·0 | 30·0 | 49·4 | 0·53 | ... | |

*Note:*—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

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# WEEKLY RETURN

OF

# Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

*By Authority of the Registrar-General*

**No. 41. Week ending SATURDAY, OCTOBER 13, 1928. Price 2d. net.**

During the week ending 13th October 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 967 living children, the deaths of 624 persons, and 310 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 578. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·9 per thousand, the marriage-rate 6·7, and the death-rate (corrected) 12·5.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·6 more than in the previous week, but 0·7 below the average. The marriage rate is 3·1 less than in the previous week, but 0·6 above the average. The death-rate is 0·2 more than in the previous week, and 0·5 above the average.

The weekly death-rate in the individual towns averaged 11·3, and varied from 15·6 in Edinburgh and 14·0 in Hamilton and in Kilmarnock, to 5·1 in Kirkcaldy and 6·5 in Clydebank. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Motherwell and Wishaw (13·4) and in Glasgow (12·6). In Dundee the rate was 10·5 and in Aberdeen 12·2.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 15, and are 9 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·3 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, none from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 3 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, and 9 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from scarlet fever are 1 more, but those from whooping-cough are 1 fewer, from diphtheria 1 fewer, and from the diarrhœas of childhood 8 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 8, and are 3 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 102, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·2 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·2 more than in the previous week, and is 0·4 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 71, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 238. The former are the same as in the previous week, but the latter are 35 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 34, and are 5 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 49°·0, being 1°·1 above that for the previous week, but 1°·2 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·82 inch.

*NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the three preceding years.*

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 13, 1928.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (See Note.) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Temperature. Minimum. | Temperature. Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, . . . . | 1,060,500 | 446 | 160 | 281 | 30 | 4 | 255 | 12·6 | 0·5 | 38 | 93 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 4 | 55 | 10 | 60·5 | 30·9 | 49·2 | 0·98 | 18·6 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, . . . | 426,300 | 131 | 59 | 141 | 17 | 3 | 127 | 15·6 | 0·1 | 10 | 62 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 18 | 8 | 64·0 | 37·0 | 49·1 | 0·71 | 24·5 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, . . . . . | 174,800 | 78 | 18 | 37 | 2 | 0 | 35 | 10·5 | 0·3 | 4 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 2 | 63·3 | 35·8 | 48·2 | 0·43 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, . . . . | 158,500 | 75 | 15 | 47 | 12 | 2 | 37 | 12·2 | 0·0 | 8 | 14 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 65·0 | 34·0 | 47·9 | 0·26 | 25·2 | ABERDEEN |
| PAISLEY, . . . . . | 87,900 | 30 | 11 | 21 | 1 | 0 | 20 | 11·9 | 0·0 | 2 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 61·8 | 30·7 | 49·4 | 1·35 | 19·6 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, . . . . | 80,200 | 31 | 8 | 16 | 0 | 0 | 16 | 10·4 | 0·0 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 59·3 | 37·6 | 50·0 | 1·44 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, . . . . | 70,100 | 25 | 3 | 14 | 0 | 4 | 18 | 13·4 | 0·7 | 2 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, . . . | 48,600 | 21 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 5 | 6 | 6·5 | 0·0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, . . . | 44,300 | 28 | 4 | 8 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 10·6 | 0·0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, . . | 38,200 | 10 | 3 | 9 | 2 | 2 | 9 | 12·3 | 0·0 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, . . . . | 41,100 | 16 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 5·1 | 0·0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, . . . . | 41,100 | 16 | 7 | 10 | 1 | 2 | 11 | 14·0 | 0·0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, . . . | 37,400 | 16 | 4 | 7 | 0 | 3 | 10 | 14·0 | 0·0 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, . . . . . | 37,500 | 12 | 6 | 10 | 3 | 0 | 7 | 9·8 | 0·0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, . . . . . | 36,000 | 19 | 5 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 10·2 | 1·5 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | FALKIRK. |
| PERTH, . . . . . | 33,700 | 13 | 5 | 13 | 7 | 1 | 7 | 10·9 | 0·0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 64·0 | 33·0 | 49·4 | 0·57 | 20·1 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** Oct. 13, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 967 | 310 | 624 | 75 | 29 | 578 | 12·5 | 0·3 | 71 | 238 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 9 | 0 | 8 | 102 | 34 | 65·0 | 30·7 | 49·0 | 0·82 | ... | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| Oct. 6, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 938 | 452 | 611 | 72 | 28 | 567 | 12·3 | 0·5 | 71 | 203 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 3 | 17 | *1 | 5 | 92 | 29 | 64·0 | 25·0 | 47·9 | 0·35 | ... | |
| Oct. 15, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 967 | 322 | 620 | 63 | 25 | 582 | 12·7 | 0·7 | 63 | 216 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 2 | 9 | 9 | *2 | 9 | 99 | 24 | 63·0 | 40·8 | 50·2 | 0·07 | ... | |

*Note*:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

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# WEEKLY RETURN

OF

# Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

*By Authority of the Registrar-General*

No. 42. Week ending SATURDAY, OCTOBER 20, 1928. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 20th October 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 976 living children, the deaths of 667 persons, and 283 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 634. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 21·1 per thousand, the marriage-rate 6·1, and the death-rate (corrected) 13·7.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·2 more than in the previous week, but 1·4 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·6 less than in the previous week, but 0·3 above the average. The death-rate is 1·2 more than in the previous week, and 0·8 above the average.

The weekly death-rate in the individual towns averaged 12·2, and varied from 16·0 in Falkirk and 15·8 in Dundee, to 7·5 in Clydebank and 8·2 in Motherwell and Wishaw. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Kilmarnock (15·4), in Glasgow (15·1), in Aberdeen (14·2), and in Hamilton (14·0). In Edinburgh the rate was 12·8.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 23, and are 8 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·5 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, none from measles, none from scarlet fever, 2 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, and 18 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from the diarrhœas of childhood are 9 more, and from diphtheria 1 more, but those from whooping-cough are 1 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 11, and are 3 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 123, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·7 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·5 more than in the previous week, and is 0·6 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 94, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 228. The former are 23 more than in the previous week, but the latter are 10 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 44, and are 10 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 48°·8, being 0°·2 below that for the previous week, but 4°·4 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 2·24 inch.

*NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the three preceding years.*

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 20, 1928.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (*See Note.*) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Temperature. Minimum. | Temperature. Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, . . . . | 1,060,500 | 437 | 117 | 328 | 34 | 13 | 307 | 15·1 | 0·7 | 54 | 95 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 12 | *1 | 8 | 73 | 19 | 59·0 | 32·4 | 48·3 | 2·29 | 8·8 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, . . . | 426,300 | 156 | 56 | 107 | 7 | 4 | 104 | 12·8 | 0·2 | 9 | 53 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | *1 | 1 | 14 | 8 | 61·0 | 40·0 | 49·5 | 0·99 | 20·0 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, . . . . . | 174,800 | 77 | 14 | 53 | 1 | 1 | 53 | 15·8 | 0·0 | 6 | 19 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 13 | 6 | 58·5 | 38·7 | 48·0 | 1·33 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, . . . . | 158,500 | 56 | 39 | 46 | 8 | 5 | 43 | 14·2 | 0·7 | 8 | 18 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 57·0 | 34·0 | 48·7 | 1·39 | 14·7 | ABERDEEN |
| PAISLEY, . . . . . | 87,900 | 43 | 8 | 21 | 4 | 2 | 19 | 11·3 | 0·0 | 3 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 58·9 | 35·8 | 48·7 | 2·98 | 12·5 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, . . . . | 80,200 | 27 | 8 | 15 | 0 | 2 | 17 | 11·1 | 0·0 | 1 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 58·8 | 40·0 | 49·4 | 4·97 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, . . . . | 70,100 | 24 | 4 | 10 | 0 | 1 | 11 | 8·2 | 0·7 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, . . . | 48,600 | 20 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 4 | 7 | 7·5 | 0·0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, . . . | 44,300 | 25 | 3 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 9·4 | 0·0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, . . | 38,200 | 16 | 2 | 13 | 5 | 1 | 9 | 12·3 | 0·0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, . . . . | 41,100 | 12 | 6 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 8 | 10·2 | 1·3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, . . . . | 41,100 | 21 | 3 | 11 | 1 | 1 | 11 | 14·0 | 1·3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, . . . | 37,400 | 18 | 3 | 10 | 3 | 4 | 11 | 15·4 | 1·4 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | *1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, . . . . . | 37,500 | 18 | 5 | 11 | 5 | 2 | 8 | 11·2 | 0·0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, . . . . . | 36,000 | 15 | 5 | 11 | 1 | 1 | 11 | 16·0 | 1·5 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | .. | FALKIRK. |
| PERTH, . . . . . | 33,700 | 11 | 7 | 13 | 6 | 0 | 7 | 10·9 | 0·0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 61·0 | 39·0 | 49·1 | 1·72 | 16·8 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** Oct. 20, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 976 | 283 | 667 | 75 | 42 | 634 | 13·7 | 0·5 | 94 | 228 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 18 | *3 | 11 | 123 | 44 | 61·0 | 32·4 | 48·8 | 2·24 | ... | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| Oct. 13, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 967 | 310 | 624 | 75 | 29 | 578 | 12·5 | 0·3 | 71 | 238 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 9 | 0 | 8 | 102 | 34 | 65·0 | 30·7 | 49·0 | 0 82 | ... | |
| Oct. 22, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 977 | 256 | 642 | 69 | 43 | 616 | 13·4 | 0·8 | 83 | 211 | 0 | 10 | 2 | 10 | 7 | 6 | *2 | 6 | 118 | 30 | 56·6 | 22·0 | 44·4 | 1·87 | ... | |

*Note*:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

* Cerebro-spinal meningitis.

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# WEEKLY RETURN

OF

# Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

*By Authority of the Registrar-General*

**No. 43. Week ending SATURDAY, OCTOBER 27, 1928. Price 2d. net.**

During the week ending 27th October 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 940 living children, the deaths of 631 persons, and 303 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 574. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·3 per thousand, the marriage-rate 6·6, and the death-rate (corrected) 12·4.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·8 less than in the previous week, but is the same as the average. The marriage-rate is 0·5 more than in the previous week, and 0·2 above the average. The death-rate is 1·3 less than in the previous week, and 1·4 below the average.

The weekly death rate in the individual towns averaged 11·2, and varied from 14·5 in Falkirk and 14·4 in Dundee, to 4·2 in Ayr and 8·3 in Coatbridge. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Dunfermline (13·7), in Glasgow (13·1), in Paisley (13·1), in Kirkcaldy (12·7) and in Aberdeen (12·5). In Edinburgh the rate was 12·1.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 31, and are 8 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·7 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, 2 from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 3 from whooping-cough, 7 from diphtheria, and 17 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from diphtheria are 4 more, from measles 2 more, from scarlet fever 2 more, and from whooping-cough 1 more, but those from the diarrhœas of childhood are 1 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 14, and are 3 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 102, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·2 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·5 less than in the previous week, and is 0·3 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 71, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 195. The former are 23 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 33 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 19, and are 25 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 46°·6, being 2°·2 below that for the previous week, and 4°·8 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1·24 inch.

*NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the three preceding years.*

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 27, 1928.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (See Note.) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Temperature. Minimum. | Temperature. Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, . . . . | 1,060,500 | 429 | 134 | 287 | 30 | 8 | 265 | 13·1 | 0·7 | 38 | 67 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 9 | *2 | 6 | 49 | 7 | 55·4 | 35·3 | 47·0 | 1·40 | 7·7 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, . . . | 426,300 | 140 | 60 | 111 | 13 | 1 | 99 | 12·1 | 0·1 | 8 | 50 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 20 | 5 | 55·0 | 36·0 | 46·6 | 0·64 | 22·1 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, . . . . . | 174,800 | 75 | 18 | 57 | 9 | 0 | 48 | 14·4 | 0·9 | 5 | 21 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 2 | 53·5 | 32·5 | 45·5 | 1·20 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, . . . . | 158,500 | 77 | 38 | 41 | 7 | 4 | 38 | 12·5 | 0·7 | 2 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 54·0 | 30·0 | 46·3 | 0·43 | 21·5 | ABERDEEN |
| PAISLEY, . . . . . | 87,900 | 33 | 9 | 24 | 3 | 1 | 22 | 13·1 | 1·8 | 3 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 56·0 | 33·9 | 47·2 | 1·80 | 10·7 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, . . . . | 80,200 | 42 | 5 | 20 | 3 | 0 | 17 | 11·1 | 1·3 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 55·2 | 37·4 | 47·2 | 2·50 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, . . . . | 70,100 | 27 | 8 | 15 | 1 | 1 | 15 | 11·2 | 1·5 | 3 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, . . . | 48,600 | 24 | 4 | 6 | 0 | 3 | 9 | 9·7 | 0·0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, . . . | 44,300 | 24 | 4 | 5 | 0 | 2 | 7 | 8·3 | 0·0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, . . | 38,200 | 7 | 2 | 13 | 3 | 0 | 10 | 13·7 | 0·0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, . . . . | 41,100 | 13 | 1 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 12·7 | 0·0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, . . . . | 41,100 | 16 | 7 | 7 | 0 | 2 | 9 | 11·5 | 0·0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, . . . | 37,400 | 9 | 4 | 8 | 2 | 0 | 6 | 8·4 | 2·8 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, . . . . . | 37,500 | 5 | 3 | 6 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 4·2 | 0·0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, . . . . . | 36,000 | 9 | 1 | 12 | 2 | 0 | 10 | 14·5 | 1·5 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | FALKIRK. |
| PERTH, . . . . . | 33,700 | 10 | 5 | 9 | 3 | 0 | 6 | 9·3 | 0·0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 59·0 | 33·0 | 46·6 | 0·70 | 14·2 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** Oct. 27, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 940 | 303 | 631 | 79 | 22 | 574 | 12·4 | 0·7 | 71 | 195 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 7 | 17 | *2 | 14 | 102 | 19 | 59·0 | 30·0 | 46·6 | 1·24 | ... | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| Oct. 20, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 976 | 283 | 667 | 75 | 42 | 634 | 13·7 | 0·5 | 94 | 228 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 18 | *3 | 11 | 123 | 44 | 61·0 | 32·4 | 48·8 | 2·24 | ... | |
| Oct. 29, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 889 | 305 | 660 | 81 | 38 | 617 | 13·4 | 0·9 | 118 | 188 | 0 | 18 | 1 | 5 | 8 | 10 | *2 | 11 | 120 | 17 | 64·0 | 39·0 | 51·4 | 1·73 | ... | |

*Note*:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

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# WEEKLY RETURN

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# Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

*By Authority of the Registrar-General*

**No. 44. Week ending SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 1928. Price 2d. net.**

During the week ending 3rd November 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 893 living children, the deaths of 609 persons, and 443 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 563. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 19·3 per thousand, the marriage-rate 9·6, and the death-rate (corrected) 12·2.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·0 less than in the previous week, and 1·3 below the average. The marriage-rate is 3·0 more than in the previous week, and 1·4 above the average. The death-rate is 0·2 less than in the previous week, and 1·9 below the average.

The weekly death-rate in the individual towns averaged 10·1, and varied from 19·6 in Kilmarnock and 15·5 in Edinburgh, to 5·8 in Falkirk and 6·2 in Perth. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Glasgow (12·9), and in Paisley (12·5). In Dundee the rate was 10·8 and in Aberdeen 8·6.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 14, and are 17 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·3 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, none from measles, none from scarlet fever, 1 from whooping-cough, 1 from diphtheria, and 12 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 2 fewer, from the diarrhœas of childhood 5 fewer, and from diphtheria 6 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 8, and are 6 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 98, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·1 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 less than in the previous week, and is 0·9 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 69, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 209. The former are 2 fewer than in the previous week, but the latter are 14 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 35, and are 16 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 44°·2, being 2°·4 below that for the previous week, and 7°·7 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1·05 inch.

*NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the three preceding years.*

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 3, 1928.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (*See Note.*) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Temperature. Minimum. | Temperature. Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, . . . . | 1,060,500 | 434 | 229 | 285 | 29 | 6 | 262 | 12·9 | 0·5 | 40 | 87 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 3 | 47 | 13 | 53·0 | 34·9 | 44·8 | 0·92 | 18·8 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, . . . | 426,300 | 128 | 72 | 139 | 17 | 4 | 126 | 15·5 | 0·1 | 6 | 50 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 22 | 9 | 55·0 | 38·0 | 44·5 | 1·33 | 14·0 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, . . . . . | 174,800 | 71 | 21 | 37 | 1 | 0 | 36 | 10·8 | 0·0 | 6 | 14 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 5 | 52·0 | 36·6 | 43·2 | 0·53 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, . . . . | 158,500 | 51 | 25 | 30 | 8 | 4 | 26 | 8·6 | 0·0 | 3 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 4 | 53·0 | 39·0 | 44·8 | 1·22 | 15·5 | ABERDEEN |
| PAISLEY, . . . . . | 87,900 | 21 | 14 | 22 | 1 | 0 | 21 | 12·5 | 0·0 | 1 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 54·0 | 33·0 | 44·1 | 1·32 | 16·3 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, . . . . | 80,200 | 27 | 17 | 18 | 1 | 0 | 17 | 11·1 | 0·7 | 3 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 53·3 | 34·0 | 45·1 | 1·41 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, . . . . | 70,100 | 33 | 9 | 14 | 0 | 2 | 16 | 11·9 | 0·0 | 3 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, . . . | 48,600 | 14 | 9 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 6·5 | 1·1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | .. | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, . . . | 44,300 | 18 | 3 | 7 | 1 | 0 | 6 | 7·1 | 0·0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, . . | 38,200 | 14 | 9 | 9 | 3 | 1 | 7 | 9·6 | 0·0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, . . . . | 41,100 | 12 | 5 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 7·6 | 0·0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, . . . . | 41,100 | 17 | 4 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 8·9 | 0·0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, . . . | 37,400 | 19 | 6 | 13 | 0 | 1 | 14 | 19·6 | 0·0 | 1 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, . . . . . | 37,500 | 9 | 7 | 6 | 1 | 0 | 5 | 7·0 | 1·4 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, . . . . . | 36,000 | 7 | 9 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 5·8 | 0·0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | FALKIRK |
| PERTH, . . . . . | 33,700 | 18 | 4 | 9 | 5 | 0 | 4 | 6·2 | 0·0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 55·0 | 29·0 | 42·7 | 0·61 | 19·0 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** Nov. 3, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 893 | 443 | 609 | 67 | 21 | 563 | 12·2 | 0·3 | 69 | 209 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 12 | 0 | 8 | 98 | 35 | 55·0 | 29·0 | 44·2 | 1·05 | ... | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| Oct. 27, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 940 | 303 | 631 | 79 | 22 | 574 | 12·4 | 0·7 | 71 | 195 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 7 | 17 | *2 | 14 | 102 | 19 | 59·0 | 30·0 | 46·6 | 1·24 | ... | |
| Nov. 5, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 929 | 391 | 649 | 72 | 24 | 601 | 13·1 | 0·8 | 102 | 175 | 1 | 9 | 3 | 2 | 6 | 15 | *4 | 11 | 118 | 34 | 63·0 | 36·0 | 51·9 | 1·70 | ... | |

*Note*:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

* Cerebro-spinal meningitis.

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# WEEKLY RETURN

OF

# Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

*By Authority of the Registrar-General*

**No. 45. Week ending SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 1928. Price 2d. net.**

During the week ending 10th November 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 880 living children, the deaths of 586 persons, and 266 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 561. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 19·0 per thousand, the marriage-rate 5·8, and the death-rate (corrected) 12·1.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·3 less than in the previous week, and 1·8 below the average. The marriage-rate is 3·8 less than in the previous week, but 0·2 above the average. The death-rate is 0·1 less than in the previous week, and 2·2 below the average.

The weekly death-rate in the individual towns averaged 11·8, and varied from 18·9 in Falkirk and 15·2 in Kirkcaldy, to 7·5 in Clydebank and 7·6 in Aberdeen. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Coatbridge (14·2), in Dundee (14·1), in Perth (14·0) and in Glasgow (13·1). In Edinburgh the rate was 11·8.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 15, and are 1 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·3 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, 1 from measles, none from scarlet fever, 3 from whooping-cough, 4 from diphtheria, and 7 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from diphtheria are 3 more, from whooping-cough 2 more, and from measles 1 more, but those from the diarrhœas of childhood are 5 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 6, and are 2 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 115, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·5 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·4 more than in the previous week, but is 0·4 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 85, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 196. The former are 16 more than in the previous week, but the latter are 13 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 23, and are 12 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 41°·5, being 2°·7 below that for the previous week, but 5°·8 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·55 inch.

*NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the three preceding years.*

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 10, 1928.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (See Note.) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Temperature. Minimum. | Temperature. Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, . . . . | 1,060,500 | 415 | 123 | 275 | 23 | 13 | 265 | 13·1 | 0·3 | 39 | 85 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 4 | *2 | 4 | 60 | 9 | 51·5 | 30·0 | 41·2 | 0·22 | 3·0 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, . . . | 426,300 | 136 | 50 | 102 | 10 | 4 | 96 | 11·8 | 0·2 | 8 | 43 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 18 | 5 | 53·0 | 32·0 | 42·9 | 0·38 | 14·4 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, . . . . . | 174,800 | 66 | 17 | 47 | 1 | 1 | 47 | 14·1 | 0·3 | 8 | 12 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 1 | 49·5 | 26·5 | 40·9 | 0·49 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, . . . . | 158,500 | 55 | 19 | 25 | 4 | 2 | 23 | 7·6 | 0·0 | 2 | 13 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 50·0 | 27·0 | 42·1 | 0·69 | 15·2 | ABERDEEN |
| PAISLEY, . . . . . | 87,900 | 38 | 6 | 21 | 3 | 0 | 18 | 10·7 | 0·0 | 5 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 51·7 | 28·8 | 41·1 | 0·56 | 3·3 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, . . . . | 80,200 | 33 | 9 | 15 | 0 | 1 | 16 | 10·4 | 0·7 | 4 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 52·0 | 31·8 | 41·9 | 1·24 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, . . . . | 70,100 | 16 | 5 | 11 | 0 | 1 | 12 | 8·9 | 0·7 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, . . . | 48,600 | 18 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 3 | 7 | 7·5 | 0·0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, . . . | 44,300 | 18 | 1 | 10 | 0 | 2 | 12 | 14·2 | 1·2 | 4 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, . . | 38,200 | 13 | 7 | 11 | 5 | 1 | 7 | 9·6 | 0·0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, . . . . | 41,100 | 15 | 4 | 12 | 2 | 2 | 12 | 15·2 | 0·0 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, . . . . | 41,100 | 14 | 4 | 9 | 1 | 1 | 9 | 11·5 | 1·3 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, . . . | 37,400 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 11·2 | 0·0 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, . . . . . | 37,500 | 9 | 1 | 12 | 5 | 0 | 7 | 9·8 | 1·4 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, . . . . . | 36,000 | 14 | 4 | 13 | 2 | 2 | 13 | 18·9 | 0·0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | FALKIRK. |
| PERTH, . . . . . | 33,700 | 14 | 5 | 11 | 2 | 0 | 9 | 14·0 | 0·0 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 52·0 | 22·0 | 40·7 | 0·27 | 11·9 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** Nov. 10, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 880 | 266 | 586 | 58 | 33 | 561 | 12·1 | 0·3 | 85 | 196 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 7 | *2 | 6 | 115 | 23 | 53·0 | 22·0 | 41·5 | 0·55 | ... | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| ,, 3, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 893 | 443 | 609 | 67 | 21 | 563 | 12·2 | 0·3 | 69 | 209 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 12 | 0 | 8 | 98 | 35 | 55·0 | 29·0 | 44·2 | 1·05 | ... | |
| ,, 12, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 864 | 264 | 600 | 65 | 39 | 574 | 12·5 | 0·9 | 84 | 195 | 0 | 13 | 6 | 4 | 9 | 8 | 0 | 6 | 98 | 27 | 45·7 | 23·0 | 35·7 | 0·39 | ... | |

*Note*:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

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# WEEKLY RETURN

OF

# Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

*By Authority of the Registrar-General*

**No. 46. Week ending SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 1928. Price 2d. net.**

During the week ending 17th November 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 936 living children, the deaths of 691 persons, and 256 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 646. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·3 per thousand, the marriage-rate 5·5, and the death-rate (corrected) 14·0.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·3 more than in the previous week, but 0·2 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·3 less than in the previous week, but 0·4 above the average. The death-rate is 1·9 more than in the previous week, but 1·2 below the average.

The weekly death rate in the individual towns averaged 13·8, and varied from 20·4 in Hamilton, 16·4 in Motherwell and Wishaw and 16·4 in Dunfermline, to 7·6 in Kirkcaldy and 8·3 in Coatbridge. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Perth (15·5), in Kilmarnock (15·4), in Ayr (15·3), in Glasgow (14·5) and in Falkirk (14·5). In Edinburgh the rate was 13·7, in Dundee 13·2, and in Aberdeen 13·9.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 24, and are 9 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·5 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, none from measles, 4 from scarlet fever, 3 from whooping-cough, 6 from diphtheria, and 11 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from scarlet fever are 4 more, from the diarrhœas of childhood 4 more, and from diphtheria 2 more, while those from whooping-cough number the same.

Deaths from influenza numbered 9, and are 3 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 131, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·8 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·3 more than in the previous week, but is 0·8 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 92, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 222. The former are 7 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 26 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 35, and are 12 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 46°·9, being 5°·4 above that for the previous week, and 5°·4 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·84 inch.

*NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the three preceding years.*

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 17, 1928.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (*See Note.*) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Temperature. Minimum. | Temperature. Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, | 1,060,500 | 463 | 121 | 322 | 32 | 4 | 294 | 14·5 | 0·5 | 59 | 90 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 7 | 0 | 5 | 73 | 15 | 59·2 | 41·0 | 47·8 | 0·86 | 8·3 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, | 426,300 | 127 | 48 | 128 | 23 | 7 | 112 | 13·7 | 0·2 | 6 | 49 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | *2 | 1 | 20 | 5 | 61·0 | 39·0 | 47·6 | 0·27 | 19·7 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, | 174,800 | 56 | 12 | 47 | 4 | 1 | 44 | 13·2 | 0·3 | 4 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 3 | 55·8 | 38·0 | 45·5 | 0·50 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, | 158,500 | 65 | 29 | 47 | 6 | 1 | 42 | 13·9 | 0·3 | 4 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 3 | 56·0 | 36·0 | 45·5 | 0·39 | 15·1 | ABERDEEN |
| PAISLEY, | 87,900 | 40 | 9 | 22 | 0 | 0 | 22 | 13·1 | 0·0 | 3 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 1 | 59·1 | 40·8 | 48·0 | 1·14 | 10·8 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, | 80,200 | 38 | 5 | 15 | 0 | 2 | 17 | 11·1 | 1·3 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 58·7 | 32·2 | 46·9 | 2·09 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 70,100 | 16 | 5 | 18 | 0 | 4 | 22 | 16·4 | 0·7 | 2 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, | 48,600 | 11 | 3 | 9 | 0 | 1 | 10 | 10·8 | 1·1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, | 44,300 | 25 | 4 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 8·3 | 1·2 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, | 38,200 | 10 | 4 | 13 | 4 | 3 | 12 | 16·4 | 0·0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, | 41,100 | 15 | 1 | 6 | 2 | 2 | 6 | 7·6 | 0·0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, | 41,100 | 17 | 1 | 11 | 0 | 5 | 16 | 20·4 | 1·3 | 4 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, | 37,400 | 14 | 3 | 13 | 3 | 1 | 11 | 15·4 | 1·4 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, | 37,500 | 16 | 2 | 13 | 4 | 2 | 11 | 15·3 | 1·4 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, | 36,000 | 15 | 5 | 9 | 1 | 2 | 10 | 14·5 | 1·5 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | FALKIRK. |
| PERTH, | 33,700 | 8 | 4 | 11 | 1 | 0 | 10 | 15·5 | 0·0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 61·0 | 38·0 | 47·1 | 0·61 | 16·0 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** Nov. 17, 1928, | **2,416,200** | **936** | **256** | **691** | **80** | **35** | **646** | **14·0** | **0·5** | **92** | **222** | **0** | **0** | **4** | **3** | **6** | **11** | ***2** | **9** | **131** | **35** | **61·0** | **32·2** | **46·9** | **0·84** | ... | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| ,, 10, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 880 | 266 | 586 | 58 | 33 | 561 | 12·1 | 0·3 | 85 | 196 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 7 | *2 | 6 | 115 | 23 | 53·0 | 22·0 | 41·5 | 0·55 | ... | |
| ,, 19, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 931 | 247 | 720 | 90 | 37 | 667 | 14·5 | 0·9 | 118 | 220 | 1 | 13 | 3 | 3 | 12 | 10 | *2 | 2 | 156 | 24 | 53·0 | 24·0 | 41·5 | 0·75 | ... | |

*Note:*—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

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# WEEKLY RETURN

OF

# Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

*By Authority of the Registrar-General*

**No. 47. Week ending SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 1928. Price 2d. net.**

During the week ending 24th November 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 876 living children, the deaths of 655 persons, and 255 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 631. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 19·0 per thousand, the marriage-rate 5·5, and the death-rate (corrected) 13·7.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·3 less than in the previous week, and 1·7 below the average. The marriage-rate is the same as in the previous week, but 0·3 below the average. The death-rate is 0·3 less than in the previous week, and 2·8 below the average.

The weekly death rate in the individual towns averaged 12·0, and varied from 15·2 in Aberdeen and 14·8 in Glasgow, to 7·6 in Hamilton and 8·6 in Clydebank. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Greenock (14·3), in Perth (14·0), and in Edinburgh (13·9). In Dundee the rate was 12·3.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 16, and are 8 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·3 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, none from measles, none from scarlet fever, 3 from whooping-cough, 5 from diphtheria, and 8 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough number the same, while from diphtheria they are 1 fewer, and from the diarrhœas of childhood 3 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 14, and are 5 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 143, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 3·1 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·3 more than in the previous week, but is 0·9 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 106, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 227. The former are 14 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 5 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 25, and are 10 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 46°·6, being 0°·3 below that for the previous week, but 2°·5 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 2·85 inch.

*NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the three preceding years.*

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 24, 1928.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (See Note.) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Temperature. Minimum. | Temperature. Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, | 1,060,500 | 414 | 121 | 317 | 23 | 7 | 301 | 14·8 | 0·5 | 52 | 94 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 6 | *2 | 6 | 80 | 14 | 56·7 | 37·0 | 47·6 | 3·13 | 3·2 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, | 426,300 | 145 | 36 | 111 | 5 | 7 | 113 | 13·9 | 0·1 | 15 | 52 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 22 | 3 | 57·0 | 39·0 | 47·1 | 1·54 | 9·2 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, | 174,800 | 56 | 17 | 41 | 2 | 2 | 41 | 12·3 | 0·6 | 7 | 16 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 1 | 55·5 | 36·5 | 44·4 | 2·12 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, | 158,500 | 53 | 25 | 47 | 8 | 7 | 46 | 15·2 | 0·3 | 6 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 1 | 54·0 | 39·0 | 45·4 | 1·56 | 16·2 | ABERDEEN |
| PAISLEY, | 87,900 | 24 | 9 | 20 | 1 | 0 | 19 | 11·3 | 0·0 | 5 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 7 | 0 | 57·0 | 39·8 | 47·6 | 3·87 | 3·3 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, | 80,200 | 33 | 2 | 22 | 1 | 1 | 22 | 14·3 | 0·7 | 6 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 57·1 | 39·2 | 47·7 | 6·02 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 70,100 | 28 | 3 | 14 | 0 | 1 | 15 | 11·2 | 0·0 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, | 48,600 | 19 | 4 | 6 | 0 | 2 | 8 | 8·6 | 0·0 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, | 44,300 | 21 | 8 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 11·8 | 1·2 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, | 38,200 | 15 | 5 | 12 | 3 | 0 | 9 | 12·3 | 0·0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, | 41,100 | 7 | 4 | 6 | 0 | 2 | 8 | 10·2 | 0·0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, | 41,100 | 15 | 4 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 7·6 | 0·0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, | 37,400 | 7 | 6 | 8 | 1 | 2 | 9 | 12·6 | 0·0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, | 37,500 | 14 | 5 | 14 | 5 | 0 | 9 | 12·6 | 0·0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, | 36,000 | 12 | 1 | 8 | 2 | 0 | 6 | 8·7 | 0·0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | FALKIRK |
| PERTH, | 33,700 | 13 | 5 | 14 | 5 | 0 | 9 | 14·0 | 0·0 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 57·0 | 35·0 | 46·3 | 1·68 | 7·6 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** Nov. 24, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 876 | 255 | 655 | 56 | 32 | 631 | 13·7 | 0·3 | 106 | 227 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 5 | 8 | *2 | 14 | 143 | 25 | 57·1 | 35·0 | 46·6 | 2·85 | ... | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| ,, 17, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 936 | 256 | 691 | 80 | 35 | 646 | 14·0 | 0·5 | 92 | 222 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 3 | 6 | 11 | *2 | 9 | 131 | 35 | 61·0 | 32·2 | 46·9 | 0·84 | ... | |
| ,, 26, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 882 | 268 | 789 | 76 | 32 | 745 | 16·2 | 1·4 | 135 | 252 | 0 | 32 | 3 | 6 | 6 | 16 | *2 | 11 | 151 | 30 | 53·0 | 36·4 | 44·1 | 0·98 | ... | |

*Note:*—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from [illegible] Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

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# WEEKLY RETURN

OF

# Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

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No. 48. Week ending SATURDAY, DECEMBER 1, 1928. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 1st December 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 918 living children, the deaths of 679 persons, and 278 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 635. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 19·9 per thousand, the marriage-rate 6·0, and the death-rate (corrected) 13·7.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·9 more than in the previous week, but 0·6 below the average. The marriage rate is 0·5 more than in the previous week, but 1·0 below the average. The death-rate is the same as in the previous week, but 3·0 below the average.

The weekly death rate in the individual towns averaged 12·6, and varied from 16·5 in Hamilton and 16·4 in Dunfermline, to 7·0 in Kilmarnock and 7·3 in Falkirk. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Edinburgh (15·2), in Aberdeen (14·8), in Paisley (14·3), in Coatbridge (14·2), in Glasgow (13·9), and in Dundee (13·5).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 16, and are the same as in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·3 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, 2 from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 2 from whooping-cough, 7 from diphtheria, and 3 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from measles are 2 more, from scarlet fever 2 more, and from diphtheria 2 more, but those from whooping-cough are 1 fewer, and from the diarrhœas of childhood 5 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 10, and are 4 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 119, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·6 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·5 less than in the previous week, and is 1·9 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 107, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 225. The former are 1 more than in the previous week, but the latter are 2 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 39, and are 14 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 43°·8, being 2°·8 below that for the previous week, but 5°·1 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·22 inch.

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 1, 1928.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (*See Note.*) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Temperature. Minimum. | Temperature. Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, | 1,060,500 | 420 | 132 | 307 | 28 | 2 | 281 | 13·9 | 0·3 | 58 | 90 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 2 | *2 | 5 | 69 | 12 | 53·0 | 34·8 | 44·5 | 0·23 | 19·3 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, | 426,300 | 159 | 62 | 137 | 15 | 2 | 124 | 15·2 | 0·2 | 12 | 50 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 17 | 10 | 53·0 | 35·0 | 43·1 | 0·02 | 24·8 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, | 174,800 | 63 | 15 | 47 | 2 | 0 | 45 | 13·5 | 0·6 | 7 | 15 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 6 | 1 | 56·5 | 33·8 | 42·7 | 0·00 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, | 158,500 | 56 | 17 | 52 | 13 | 6 | 45 | 14·8 | 1·0 | 7 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 4 | 56·0 | 35·0 | 44·0 | 0·55 | 17·0 | ABERDEEN |
| PAISLEY, | 87,900 | 22 | 8 | 29 | 5 | 0 | 24 | 14·3 | 0·0 | 5 | 12 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 57·0 | 33·5 | 44·1 | 0·21 | 18·1 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, | 80,200 | 33 | 5 | 20 | 1 | 1 | 20 | 13·0 | 0·0 | 5 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 52·6 | 35·0 | 44·5 | 0·48 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 70,100 | 22 | 3 | 14 | 1 | 2 | 15 | 11·2 | 0·0 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, | 48,600 | 23 | 3 | 6 | 0 | 3 | 9 | 9·7 | 1·1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, | 44,300 | 31 | 3 | 10 | 1 | 3 | 12 | 14·2 | 0·0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, | 38,200 | 13 | 5 | 12 | 2 | 2 | 12 | 16·4 | 1·4 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, | 41,100 | 13 | 4 | 9 | 1 | 0 | 8 | 10·2 | 0·0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, | 41,100 | 19 | 4 | 8 | 0 | 5 | 13 | 16·5 | 1·3 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, | 37,400 | 17 | 6 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 7·0 | 0·0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, | 37,500 | 6 | 0 | 9 | 2 | 2 | 9 | 12·6 | 0·0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, | 36,000 | 12 | 4 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 7·3 | 0·0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | FALKIRK |
| PERTH, | 33,700 | 9 | 7 | 10 | 3 | 1 | 8 | 12·4 | 0·0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 57·0 | 34·0 | 43·4 | 0·02 | 23·1 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** Dec. 1, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 918 | 278 | 679 | 74 | 30 | 635 | 13·7 | 0·3 | 107 | 225 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 7 | 3 | *2 | 10 | 119 | 39 | 57·0 | 33·5 | 43·8 | 0·22 | ... | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| Nov. 24, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 876 | 255 | 655 | 56 | 32 | 631 | 13·7 | 0·3 | 106 | 227 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 5 | 8 | *2 | 14 | 143 | 25 | 57·1 | 35·0 | 46·6 | 2·85 | ... | |
| Dec. 3, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 889 | 334 | 756 | 71 | 40 | 725 | 15·8 | 1·2 | 139 | 231 | 0 | 24 | 3 | 7 | 10 | 12 | 0 | 13 | 188 | 34 | 50·0 | 21·0 | 38·7 | 0·21 | ... | |

*Note*:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

* Cerebro-spinal meningitis.

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IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

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**No. 50. Week ending SATURDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1928. Price 2d. net.**

During the week ending 15th December 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 909 living children, the deaths of 666 persons, and 228 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 618. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 19·7 per thousand, the marriage-rate 4·9, and the death-rate (corrected) 13·4.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·0 more than in the previous week, but 1·2 below the average. The marriage-rate is 1·6 less than in the previous week, and 0·9 below the average. The death-rate is 0·9 less than in the previous week, and 3·0 below the average.

The weekly death-rate in the individual towns averaged 14·1, and varied from 25·9 in Coatbridge and 22·4 in Kilmarnock, to 8·4 in Ayr and 9·6 in Dunfermline. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Falkirk (20·3), in Perth (17·1), in Edinburgh (14·8), and in Greenock (14·3). In Glasgow the rate was 12·7, in Dundee 12·9 and in Aberdeen 12·5.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 16, and are 1 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·3 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, none from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 6 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, and 6 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from scarlet fever are 2 more, and from whooping-cough 2 more, but those from diphtheria are 1 fewer and from the diarrhœas of childhood 3 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 9, and are 5 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 117, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·5 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·6 less than in the previous week, and is 1·7 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 86, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 230. The former are 22 fewer than in the previous week, but the latter are 4 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 31, and are 6 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 36°·7, being 2°·9 below that for the previous week, but 2°·3 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·76 inch.

*NOTE. The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the three preceding years.*

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 15, 1928.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (See Note.) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Temperature. Minimum. | Temperature. Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, . . . . | 1,060,500 | 420 | 102 | 283 | 31 | 5 | 257 | 12·7 | 0·5 | 41 | 75 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 4 | 57 | 12 | 44·3 | 28·1 | 37·0 | 0·73 | 0·1 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, . . . | 426,300 | 135 | 48 | 148 | 28 | 1 | 121 | 14·8 | 0·1 | 14 | 52 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | *1 | 3 | 16 | 7 | 43·0 | 26·0 | 35·4 | 0·28 | 0·5 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, . . . . . | 174,800 | 52 | 8 | 46 | 5 | 2 | 43 | 12·9 | 0·0 | 5 | 16 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 2 | 41·8 | 30·5 | 36·3 | 0·59 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, . . . . | 158,500 | 66 | 30 | 36 | 3 | 5 | 38 | 12·5 | 0·0 | 2 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 44·0 | 29·0 | 38·4 | 0·35 | 1·0 | ABERDEEN |
| PAISLEY, . . . . . | 87,900 | 40 | 8 | 23 | 3 | 0 | 20 | 11·9 | 0·0 | 4 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 44·6 | 24·9 | 37·0 | 0·92 | 0·2 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, . . . . | 80,200 | 41 | 2 | 21 | 0 | 1 | 22 | 14·3 | 0·0 | 4 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 46·0 | 27·9 | 37·3 | 1·55 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, . . . . | 70,100 | 31 | 4 | 12 | 0 | 1 | 13 | 9·7 | 0·7 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, . . . | 48,600 | 24 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 6 | 10 | 10·8 | 0·0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, . . . | 44,300 | 17 | 2 | 18 | 0 | 4 | 22 | 25·9 | 1·2 | 5 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | *1 | 0 | 7 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | .. | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, . . | 38,200 | 13 | 4 | 7 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 9·6 | 0·0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | ... | .. | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, . . . . | 41,100 | 16 | 3 | 10 | 1 | 0 | 9 | 11·4 | 0·0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, . . . . | 41,100 | 7 | 1 | 8 | 1 | 2 | 9 | 11·5 | 2·5 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, . . . | 37,400 | 11 | 3 | 17 | 3 | 2 | 16 | 22·4 | 0·0 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, . . . . . | 37,500 | 11 | 6 | 8 | 2 | 0 | 6 | 8·4 | 0·0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, . . . . . | 36,000 | 16 | 4 | | 1 | 2 | 14 | 20·3 | 0·0 | 3 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | FALKIRK |
| PERTH, . . . . . | 33,700 | 9 | 1 | 12 | 1 | 0 | 11 | 17·1 | 0·0 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 44·0 | 27·0 | 35·8 | 0·87 | 0·0 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** Dec. 15, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 909 | 228 | 666 | 80 | 32 | 618 | 13·4 | 0·3 | 86 | 230 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 6 | 2 | 6 | *2 | 9 | 117 | 31 | 46·0 | 24·9 | 36·7 | 0·76 | ... | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| Dec. 8, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 862 | 302 | 696 | 78 | 42 | 660 | 14·3 | 0·4 | 108 | 226 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 3 | 9 | *3 | 14 | 144 | 25 | 51·0 | 25·0 | 39·6 | 0 50 | ... | |
| Dec. 17, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 905 | 263 | 790 | 77 | 29 | 742 | 16·1 | 1·5 | 142 | 239 | 1 | 39 | 2 | 6 | 13 | 10 | *1 | 10 | 156 | 23 | 42·9 | 19 0 | 34·4 | 0·20 | ... | |

*Note*:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

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# WEEKLY RETURN

OF

# Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

*By Authority of the Registrar-General*

**No. 51. Week ending SATURDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1928. Price 2d. net.**

During the week ending 22nd December 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 938 living children, the deaths of 708 persons, and 276 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 659. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·3 per thousand, the marriage-rate 6·0, and the death-rate (corrected) 14·3.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·6 more than in the previous week, and 0·1 above the average. The marriage-rate is 1·1 more than in the previous week, but 1·7 below the average. The death-rate is 0·9 more than in the previous week, but 2·1 below the average.

The weekly death-rate in the individual towns averaged 14·3, and varied from 22·4 in Kilmarnock, 19·1 in Kirkcaldy and 18·9 in Greenock, to 2·7 in Dunfermline, 8·2 in Motherwell and Wishaw and 8·4 in Ayr. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Coatbridge (17·7), in Hamilton (16·5), and in Dundee (16·4). In Glasgow this rate was 14·8, in Edinburgh 11·7, and in Aberdeen 15·2.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 17, and are 1 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·4 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever or from measles, 3 from scarlet fever, 2 from whooping-cough, 9 from diphtheria, and 3 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from diphtheria are 7 more, and from scarlet fever 1 more, but those from the diarrhœas of childhood are 3 fewer, and from whooping-cough 4 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 5, and are 4 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 138, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 3·0 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·5 less than in the previous week, and is 0·9 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 83, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 231. The former are 3 fewer than in the previous week, but the latter are 1 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 32, and are 1 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 39°·6, being 2°·9 above that for the previous week, and 6°·5 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·76 inch.

*NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the three preceding years.*

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 22, 1928.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (*See Note.*) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Temperature. Minimum. | Temperature. Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, . . . . | 1,060,500 | 451 | 132 | 324 | 33 | 9 | 300 | 14·8 | 0·4 | 43 | 93 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 2 | *1 | 3 | 74 | 18 | 46·8 | 30·0 | 40·2 | 0·33 | 2·8 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, . . . | 426,300 | 133 | 52 | 114 | 20 | 1 | 95 | 11·7 | 0·1 | 3 | 38 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 19 | 4 | 47·0 | 32·0 | 41·0 | 0·21 | 10·3 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, . . . . . | 174,800 | 75 | 23 | 58 | 3 | 0 | 55 | 16·4 | 0·0 | 7 | 23 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 12 | 2 | 44·8 | 29·2 | 37·6 | 0·67 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, . . . . | 158,500 | 53 | 28 | 48 | 6 | 4 | 46 | 15·2 | 0·7 | 3 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 4 | 46·0 | 30·0 | 38·3 | 1·16 | 10·1 | ABERDEEN |
| PAISLEY, . . . . . | 87,900 | 39 | 7 | 26 | 3 | 0 | 23 | 13·7 | 0·6 | 6 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 47·2 | 32·4 | 41·2 | 0·56 | 6·1 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, . . . . | 80,200 | 34 | 2 | 30 | 2 | 1 | 29 | 18·9 | 0·7 | 5 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 48·0 | 30·5 | 41·1 | 1·78 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, . . . . | 70,100 | 25 | 5 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 8·2 | 0·0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, . . . | 48,600 | 19 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 5 | 14 | 15·1 | 0·0 | 7 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, . . . | 44,300 | 19 | 2 | 13 | 0 | 2 | 15 | 17·7 | 0·0 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, . . | 38,200 | 4 | 3 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 2·7 | 0·0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, . . . . | 41,100 | 17 | 7 | 14 | 0 | 1 | 15 | 19·1 | 1·3 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, . . . . | 41,100 | 28 | 4 | 12 | 2 | 3 | 13 | 16·5 | 1·3 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, . . . | 37,400 | 17 | 6 | 15 | 2 | 3 | 16 | 22·4 | 1·4 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, . . . . . | 37,500 | 6 | 3 | 10 | 4 | 0 | 6 | 8·4 | 0·0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, . . . . . | 36,000 | 10 | 0 | 11 | 2 | 1 | 10 | 14·5 | 0·0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | .. | FALKIRK. |
| PERTH, . . . . . | 33,700 | 8 | 2 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 14·0 | 0·0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 47·0 | 26·0 | 37·9 | 0·59 | 7·5 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** Dec. 22, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 938 | 276 | 708 | 79 | 30 | 659 | 14·3 | 0·4 | 83 | 231 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 9 | 3 | *1 | 5 | 138 | 32 | 48·0 | 26·0 | 39·6 | 0·76 | ... | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| Dec. 15, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 909 | 228 | 666 | 80 | 32 | 618 | 13·4 | 0·3 | 86 | 230 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 6 | 2 | 6 | *2 | 9 | 117 | 31 | 46·0 | 24·9 | 36·7 | 0·76 | | |
| Dec. 24, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 986 | 365 | 956 | 76 | 42 | 922 | 20·1 | 2·0 | 145 | 300 | 0 | 53 | 3 | 16 | 7 | 12 | *5 | 16 | 210 | 25 | 43·0 | 15·0 | 33·1 | 1·12 | ... | |

*Note:*—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

* Cerebro-spinal meningitis.

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# WEEKLY RETURN

OF

# Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

## Principal Towns of Scotland

*By Authority of the Registrar-General*

**No. 52. Week ending SATURDAY, DECEMBER 29, 1928. Price 2d. net.**

During the week ending 29th December 1928 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,416,200, the births of 941 living children, the deaths of 693 persons, and 693 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 667. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·4 per thousand, the marriage-rate 15·0, and the death-rate (corrected) 14·4.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·1 more than in the previous week, but 1·2 below the average. The marriage-rate is 9·0 more than in the previous week, but 3·9 below the average. The death-rate is 0·1 more than in the previous week, but 3·9 below the average.

The weekly death-rate in the individual towns averaged 15·6, and varied from 20·9 in Ayr, 17·8 in Kirkcaldy and 17·8 in Hamilton, to 11·8 in Clydebank and 12·8 in Edinburgh. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Coatbridge (16·5), in Greenock (16·3), and in Falkirk (16·0). In Glasgow the rate was 14·0, in Dundee 17·3, and in Aberdeen 13·9.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 24, and are 7 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·5 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, 1 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 9 from whooping-cough, 7 from diphtheria, and 6 from the diarrhœas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 7 more, from the diarrhœas of childhood 3 more, and from measles 1 more, but those from scarlet fever are 2 fewer, and from diphtheria 2 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 14, and are 9 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 147, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 3·2 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·2 more than in the previous week, but is 1·0 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 95, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 249. The former are 12 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 18 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 26, and are 6 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 38°·4, being 1°·2 below that for the previous week, but 5°·7 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1·68 inch.

***NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the three preceding years.***

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# REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 29, 1928.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. Number Registered. | Deaths. Transferred Out. | Deaths. Transferred In. | Deaths. Net Number. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes. | Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age. | Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (See Note.) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Temperature. Maximum. | Temperature. Minimum. | Temperature. Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | TOWNS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, | 1,060,500 | 458 | 310 | 304 | 29 | 9 | 284 | 14·0 | 0·5 | 34 | 100 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 4 | *1 | 7 | 68 | 11 | 51·3 | 31·5 | 38·9 | 2·16 | 0·8 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, | 426,300 | 139 | 100 | 113 | 12 | 3 | 104 | 12·8 | 0·2 | 12 | 52 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 19 | 3 | 52·0 | 31·0 | 38·4 | 1·12 | 11·5 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, | 174,800 | 69 | 53 | 60 | 2 | 0 | 58 | 17·3 | 0·0 | 7 | 23 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 12 | 5 | 50·7 | 26·8 | 37·2 | 0·85 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, | 158,500 | 65 | 81 | 49 | 13 | 6 | 42 | 13·9 | 1·0 | 5 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 3 | 52·0 | 30·0 | 38·8 | 1·02 | 7·7 | ABERDEEN |
| PAISLEY, | 87,900 | 25 | 24 | 24 | 0 | 1 | 25 | 14·9 | 0·6 | 6 | 12 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | *1 | 0 | 3 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, | 80,200 | 34 | 14 | 26 | 2 | 1 | 25 | 16·3 | 2·0 | 7 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 52·1 | 30·9 | 40·0 | 3·70 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 70,100 | 21 | 17 | 15 | 0 | 3 | 18 | 13·4 | 0·7 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, | 48,600 | 26 | 18 | 6 | 0 | 5 | 11 | 11·8 | 0·0 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, | 44,300 | 12 | 10 | 12 | 0 | 2 | 14 | 16·5 | 0·0 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, | 38,200 | 13 | 6 | 9 | 1 | 2 | 10 | 13·7 | 1·4 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, | 41,100 | 14 | 2 | 15 | 1 | 0 | 14 | 17·8 | 0·0 | 4 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, | 41,100 | 20 | 10 | 12 | 0 | 2 | 14 | 17·8 | 1·3 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, | 37,400 | 8 | 13 | 11 | 2 | 2 | 11 | 15·4 | 0·0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, | 37,500 | 10 | 14 | 14 | 1 | 2 | 15 | 20·9 | 1·4 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, | 36,000 | 14 | 8 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 16·0 | 0·0 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | FALKIRK. |
| PERTH, | 33,700 | 13 | 13 | 12 | 2 | 1 | 11 | 17·1 | 1·6 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 52·0 | 23·0 | 37·1 | 1·23 | 8·6 | PERTH. |
| **Total, 16 Towns, week ending,** Dec. 29, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 941 | 693 | 693 | 65 | 39 | 667 | 14·4 | 0·5 | 95 | 249 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 9 | 7 | 6 | *2 | 14 | 147 | 26 | 52·1 | 23·0 | 38·4 | 1·68 | ... | **Total, 16 Towns.** |
| Dec. 22, 1928, | 2,416,200 | 938 | 276 | 708 | 79 | 30 | 659 | 14·3 | 0·4 | 83 | 231 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 9 | 3 | *1 | 5 | 138 | 32 | 48·0 | 26·0 | 39·6 | 0·76 | | |
| Dec. 31, 1927, | 2,395,700 | 978 | 867 | 989 | 93 | 45 | 941 | 20·5 | 2·1 | 150 | 318 | 0 | 51 | 1 | 11 | 17 | 15 | *3 | 15 | 224 | 39 | 43·0 | 28·0 | 32·7 | 0·09 | | |

*Note:*—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as the [illegible]

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